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MAYOR'S COUSIN SOLD $140,000 WORTH OF COAL TO THE CITY IN 2 YEARS

Facts Developed by Investigation of the Finance Commission Show Daniel Doherty Has Made Big Sales to the Municipality Since Fitzgerald Has Been in Office—Many Contracts Without Opposition.

Data which is in the hands of the Finance Commission which is investigating city affairs, it was learned to-day, shows that since John F. Fitzgerald became Mayor Daniel Doherty, a cousin, has sold the city over $140,000 worth of coal.

Many of the contracts awarded to Doherty were given without competition upon the approval of the Mayor, an investigation of the books have disclosed. This is the form of contract which Michael J. Sughrue, attorney for the commission, has so vigorously attacked as dishonest.

SUGHRUE LOOKING UP CASE.

Doherty's case will be the next one taken up by the finance probers. They will probably not be able to reach this phase of the investigation before late to-morrow or Thursday.

It was learned to-day that the mysterious visit of former District-Attorney Sughrue and Secretary John W. Farley to New York and Philadelphia, from which neither of them has yet returned, was in connection with the investigation of the Mayor's cousin's contracts with the city.

During the absence of the two men Mr. Sughrue's associate, Attorney James J. McCarthy, has been working up the loose end of the same matter.

EXPERTS AT WORK ON CONTRACTS.

The commissioners believe from the facts already in their possession that the Doherty case will prove the most sensational feature of the remarkable investigation.

The expert examination of the auditor's books by Edwin Scott Morse, expert accountant of the commission, shows that Doherty's contracts have not been confined to any one department.

Tabulation, now in the hands of the commission, shows that, on contracts and bills to several departments, Doherty has received $95,000 for coal. Tabulations of additional departments made by Mr. Morse, but not yet delivered to the commission, show that to other departments Doherty has sold over $40,000 worth of coal.

ENJOYS MONOPOLY.

The auditor's department of the city, the books of which are supposed to be open to any citizen of Boston, apparently acting under orders from Mayor Fitzgerald, refused to-day to give any information relative to Doherty's contracts.

It was learned, however, that the cousin of the Mayor has enjoyed a monopoly of the coal contracts with the pauper institutions department.

The contract under which Doherty is operating at present is for 1,700 tons of coal, was awarded to Doherty on May 29, last, without competition, upon the authority of the Mayor.

This contract calls for New River coal of the best quality, and the price fixed for it is $4.10 a ton.

FRAUD IN BILLING.

The commission, so far, has carefully guarded the name of Doherty except where it slipped in through witnesses testifying in regard to other contracts.

Superintendent James F. English of the Long Island institutions, when on the stand testified that he had approved a bill of Doherty for coal, while hauled for Quemahoning coal on the bill of lading, and which was billed to the department as Cumberland coal. The contract for this supply called for New River coal.

Mr. English said that he had known Mr. Doherty only since he had been in the department. Superintendent English was asked:

"Was it not your knowledge of the Mayor's friendship for Mr. Doherty that caused you to approve the bills in the way you have stated?"

"I didn't know," was the reply, "that the Mayor and Mr. Doherty were friends."

Doherty's name was also introduced by [illegible] on Page 2, Column 3.

"HELP!"

Vancouver Seething in Race Riot Peril

JAPS ARM FOR BATTLE

Orientals Face Assailants in Defence of Their Lives and Property.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Sept. 10.—Another race outbreak between the whites and Chinese and Japanese is expected at any moment. The Orientals have armed themselves and declare that they will fight to the death.

Four clashes have already occurred, resulting in the wholesale destruction of property of the foreigners and the arrest of scores. No lives have yet been lost.

As a result of the trouble the relations between Japan and England, allied as friends, have already become strained, and it is felt that the feeling between the two countries is of a more belligerent character than it has ever been between the little brown men and this country.

If the mob attacks the yellow men, who are displacing white labor in the salmon fisheries and canneries, in the copper mines, fields and lumber camps, there will be bloodshed.

Buy Arms and Powder.

For hours to-day Japanese and Chinese crowded the gun shops, buying arms and ammunition. Infuriated and convinced that the police cannot and will not protect them, the Orientals swear they will protect their lives and property.

The police have ordered the gunmakers not to sell firearms to anyone until public peace is restored. But before this order was issued, hundreds of Japanese and Chinese had armed themselves.

All Chinese and Japanese domestic servants, of whom hundreds are employed here, have stopped work and have been forced by their threatening countrymen to join the defensive guard. Orientals employed in the mills have stopped work and have taken refuge in the quarters occupied by their countrymen, where they are preparing to assist in opposing any further attacks that may be made on the quarters.

Two hundred special policemen have been sworn in, and the militia will be called out if the rioting is renewed.

The city is feverish, every man is a partisan on one side or the other.

Several of those wounded in Saturday night's riots are in a critical condition.

Twenty-six rioters were arraigned in the police court to-day and held for further examination.

Japanese Envoy in Peril.

As their bad luck would have it, Baron Kikujiro Ishii and the Japanese Consul at Seattle, Saburo Hisamoto, have been central figures in the rioting and escaped from the mob on Saturday night with bottles and brickbats flying around their heads. Baron Ishii, head of the Japanese consular service and chief of the Bureau of Foreign Commerce, came to America to investigate the whole question of Japanese immigration into the United States and Canada. He arrived here Saturday night and here have been most forcefully illustrated to him the difficulties that attend his countrymen's immigration.

So a new international question has arisen, this time between Japan and her devoted ally, Great Britain. Baron Ishii, who plainly is in a combative mood, said to-day in an interview that he had cabled to the Japanese Ambassador at London, informing him of the state of affairs here, and that he is in communication with Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the Dominion's Premier.

The Japanese will demand an indemnity of $25,000 from the city for damage to their business places, it is reported.

Some 4,000 members of the Asiatic Exclusion League paraded and held a mass meeting. Then they burned in effigy Lieutenant-Governor Dunsmuir of this city, who vetoed the bill introduced by the Attorney-General to apply the Natal Anti-Coolie Labor law in British Columbia.

Then the mob stormed Chinatown, smashing windows in the stores.

Street orators gathered crowds, who even swarmed up the telegraph poles, and a strong line of police across the street had hard work to keep the mob from again entering the Chinese quarter. As there had been threats of incendiarism, the fire brigade was ready with hose to drench the white hoodlums.

While the speaking was going on the sound of breaking glass was greeted with joyful yells.

Then the mob broke loose on Howell street, a few blocks away in another direction, where the Japanese live. Here windows were broken also, but the Japanese resisted and, with bottles and boards, attacked their assailants. Several people were injured.

Fierce Fight Is Expected, as Both Factions Are Aroused by Disturbances.

POLISH JEWS SLAIN IN NEW MASSACRE

WARSAW, Sept. 10.—Another massacre of Jews is in progress at Lodz, Poland. Messages from there state that eleven persons have been killed and fourteen injured already. At the time the advices were sent the massacre was still going on.

SILVER SPOONS ON ALLEGED DRUNK

William Walker, forty-one years old, giving no home, was in the Police Court to-day charged by Policeman Cashman of the Roxbury station with intoxication and the larceny of silver spoons from some person unknown.

At police headquarters it is said that his picture appears in the gallery and that he has been in State prison, Charlestown, from which he tried to escape during the riot of 1895.

DYNAMITE BANK SAFE AND GET MUCH BOOTY

CHIPPEWA, Ont., Sept. 10.—Masked robbers blew open the Royal Savings Bank's safe here early to-day and escaped with considerable booty. The explosion was heard by late home-comers, who rushed to the scene and frightened the safe-blowers, who picked up their plunder, and holding the crowd back at the point of revolvers, got to the river front and escaped in a rowboat.

Tragedy at Fall River Shocks Society

GIRL IN DEATH MYSTERY

Miss Amy E. Hyde Found Lifeless in Her Room, Victim of Asphyxiation.

FALL RIVER, Sept. 10.—Fall River society was greatly shocked to-day when it learned that Miss Amy E. Hyde, one of the wealthiest, prettiest and most accomplished young women in the city is dead under mysterious circumstances. She was found lifeless in her bed in her father's home shortly before 7 o'clock.

It is stated that she has been asphyxiated, but how the deadly gas came to escape while she was asleep is not given as yet, if it is known. An investigation is looked for.

Members of her family are benumbed by the shock and unable to make known what they know about the tragic death.

All that has been so far said about Miss Hyde's death is that she retired in the best of health and happiest mood last night and that the odor of escaping gas was traced to her room at an early hour to-day.

She was lying lifeless on the bed when the chamber was entered.

Miss Hyde was about twenty-two years old and very popular in the social set in which she moved, but only because she was an heiress, but owing to her personal charms. Her father is Samuel E. Hyde, a prominent Fall River business man and proprietor of a stock farm on New Boston road, where the family lived and where he bred fine trotting horses.

Miss Hyde was an only daughter and the shock of awakening to find her dead prostrated the members of her family.

Traced Leaking Gas to Her Apartments; Was an Heiress and Popular in Smart Set.

10-CENT MILK DECREED AT FARMERS' MEETING

DAIRYMEN AND CONTRACTORS GATHER FROM ALL OVER NEW ENGLAND.

At a meeting this afternoon between the board of directors of the Boston Co-operative Milk Company, representing farmers from all over New England and the milk contractors, the price of milk for the coming Winter will be advanced to 10 cents a quart, according to a statement by Secretary W. H. Hunter of the producers.

The directors of the producers met at the American House today with President Stanley H. Abbott of Wilton, N. H., presiding. There were twelve members present representing all sections of New England. Secretary Hunter said that there would have to be a sharp advance in price or the farmers would have to go out of business.

"Grain has been high," said Mr Hunter, "and the drouth has killed of a lot of stock. The farmers have been getting 28 cents a can and they are going to demand forty cents as the only rate by which they can keep in business. Then will have to be a sharp advance in price to keep us in business. Milk is now selling at eight cents a quart in Boston. In all probability the price will have to be ten cents.

"After the farmers get through their meeting they will put their demands up to the contractors, who will decide what action they will take. If they meet the advance, the householders have got to pay more for their milk. That's the whole question.

"The firm wants to give the farmers a square deal," said Charles Hood of H. P. Hood & Sons, "and at the same time be fair to its customers. Everything looks like higher prices for the people who drink milk."

POPE'S GIFT TO MRS. COCKRAN STOLEN BY GIRL

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—Because of her reverence for a religious picture painted on a handsome brooch, the property of Mrs. W. Bourke Cockran, Nellie Walkowitz, a young Russian girl, is locked up at police headquarters awaiting a requisition from the Rhode Island authorities.

Last Summer Representative and Mrs. Cockran paid a visit to Europe, and while in Rome had an audience with Pope Pius X. Later Pope Pius presented to Mrs. Cockran a handsome brooch made of gold and surrounded with diamonds, which contained a beautiful picture of a religious subject.

Mr. and Mrs. Cockran went to stop at Newcliff House in Newport, and among the servants there was a pretty little Russian girl who was a Roman Catholic. She frequently saw the brooch in the possession of Mrs. Cockran, and admired it extravagantly, frequently asking that she might hold it in her hand for a closer inspection. As it had been presented by the Pope, and she felt that its nearness to her would benefit her from a religious point of view. Those requests were granted, and Mrs. Cockran is said to have been pleased at the admiration and reverence with which the girl viewed the precious treasure.

One day the brooch disappeared. Then there came a search for the little Russian girl, but she had departed, and left no trace of where she could be found.

Yesterday afternoon Inspector McCafferty received a message from Chief of Police Crowley of Newport, asking him to call at 156 West One Hundred and Seventh street and look for a little Russian girl named Nellie Wolkowitz, and if she had the brooch, which was described in the telegram, in her possession, and a requisition would be sent from Newport, where Mrs. Cockran would appear against her.

Detectives found the girl. Upon being questioned, they say the girl showed them a brooch hanging by a string around her neck, and that this brooch answered in every detail the description forwarded.

PEACE CONGRESS OF WORLD IS OPENED

MUNICH, Bavaria, Sept. 10.—The 16th International Peace Congress was inaugurated here to-day in the presence of 250 delegates from all nations of the world, and will last until September 14. The debates begin tomorrow.

The American Peace Society will be represented at the congress by its secretary, Dr. Benjamin F. Trueblood and a number of delegates from New York, Boston and other cities.

BOY AND GIRL DEAD IN SUICIDE PACT

ASHLAND, Ky., Sept. 10.—As the result of parental objection and a suicide pact, Isabelle Zerfoss and her sweetheart, Tommy Bales, are dead at the homes of their parents near York. A few weeks ago they ran away from home to get married, but were refused a license on account of their youth, neither being 16. Their parents learned of the escapade and refused to allow Tommy to see Isabelle again.

Read "Marked for Death," the New $[illegible] Prize Story of "Zara," Woman of Mystery!

WIFE CAUSES ARREST OF OIL MAGNATE'S SON

Beautiful Mrs. Roe, Jr., Was Formerly Louise Knighton of Boston.

COUPLE WED 15 YEARS AGO

Married in Boston fifteen years ago, Livingston Roe, Jr., son of the Standard Oil magnate of New York, has been placed under bonds by Magistrate Corrigan to cease from molesting his wife, who was pretty Louise Knighton of Boston before she became his wife.

Very pretty indeed did Louise Roe look last night in the police court, where she complained that her husband had been threatening her when she had had him arrested at Fifty-sixth street and Madison avenue. Policeman Mather also took Roe to the East Fifty-first street station, and there Mrs. Roe demanded that he be taken to court at once, for she feared for her life. Roe was taken to the night court.

Present an Odd Sight.

There the pair, in the dimly lighted enclosure for prisoners and complainants, presented an odd sight. Both were dressed in grey.

"He deserted me in Houston, Texas, leaving me with a board bill of $500 to look after," said she. "I am able to make my own living. I came to this city and obtained a position. Since I found I was here he has been following me about begging me to return to him, and when I refused he threatened to kill me.

"Tonight, when I quit work in the publishing house where I am employed in the Flatiron building, he was waiting for me. I boarded a Madison avenue car and he got on the front. I was going to dine with friends at Fifty-sixth street, and he got off there and renewed his annoying attentions and threats."

Makes Glittering Promise.

"All wrong," said Roe. "This lady is my wife. It is true we have separated and while I have been trying to get her to return to me I did not threaten her. I am perfectly willing to support her. I did not desert her. I am willing to make her an allowance of $200 a month.

At this Mrs. Roe burst out laughing, saying:

"Two hundred dollars a month! Why he couldn't support himself. As to giving me $200 a month, he doesn't even pay his debts."

"Now, I won't put you under bonds," said Magistrate Corrigan, "as your wife wishes me to do. But if you annoy her again I shall send you to the workhouse. If she does not want to live with you, you must not follow her on the street, and you," turning to his wife, "be careful you again have him arrested again. If you don't care to do that just drop me a note and I will hunt him out and have him arrested and I will send him to the workhouse."

Roe gave his address as No. 224 West Thirty-fourth street. Mrs. Roe said she was living at No. 108 Madison avenue.

DENIES CHARGE OF BERATING HER HUSBAND

"Not guilty, Your Honor," was the plea in tones high and clear that Mrs. Mary F. Holton, the pretty wife of George L. Holton, superintendent of the Derby Desk Company, in Somerville today made to a charge of disturbing the peace in the office of her husband's business concern which resulted in her being arrested.

The charge was that she had gone to the Derby Desk Company in Vernon street and so berated her husband that General Manager Smith had to call upon Officer Ryan to take her away.

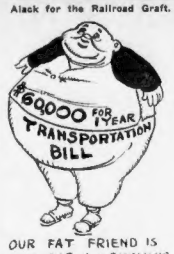
In the absence of Mrs. Holton's attorney, Atwood McCarthy, and on the consent of Captain Perry of the Somerville police, Judge John H. Butler continued the case until next Saturday.

"It's just a case of her being jealous, very jealous, of her husband," said Policeman Ryan to a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter. "The woman loves her husband, but she is very jealous of him and loses her temper when she talks to him. That's all there is to it."

SPECIAL NOTICE.

SANFORD'S SUMMER DRINKS Sanford's Ginger lemonade, ginger ale, birch beer, ginger soda, ginger beer, root beer, sarsaparilla, tonic, etc., are very refreshing during hot weather for all who suffer from heat, fatigue, insomnia, poor stomach, and weak bowels.

Alack for the Railroad Graft.



OUR FAT FRIEND IS DUE FOR A TRIMMING NEXT FROM SUGHRUE.

CITY CONTRACT AWARDED TO LOW BIDDER

Fair, Open Competition for Deer Island Concrete Work Results in Good Bargain.

Senator Frank J. Linehan's Atlas Construction Company was awarded the contract for the concrete work on the new Deer Island piggery in open competition because his bid was the lowest of the six submitted to Penal Commissioner Martin in response to a newspaper advertisement. The bids were submitted in the form of two items and were as follows:

Atlas Construction Company, $4,953 and $3,168; John McCloskey, $6,080 and $4,725; Warren Brothers Company, $5,491 and $5,096; John B. Graham, $8,240 and $5,283; John T. Skully, $7,800 and $4,900; Simpson Brothers Company, $8,220 and $5,400.

As the concern awarded the contract had to give a bond for $4,000, and every bidder had to deposit a certified check for $1,000, as a guarantee of good faith, when he put in his figures, grafting contractors did not scramble to get the job.

Citizens see in this transaction the efficacy of enforcing any rules that provide for publicity and competition in awarding municipal contracts. The difference between the highest and lowest bids on the job amounted to $3,270 and $2,282 on the respective items, and, with the filing of a bond almost as big as the amount of the winner's highest bid, the city has a certainty of the work being well done by the lowest price any responsible concern was willing to undertake for.

There is a difference in this method of doing city business and awarding on the authorization of Mayor Fitzgerald secret contracts for the worst of coal at the highest prices.

LORD BISHOP OF LONDON IN QUEBEC

Special to the Boston American.

OTTAWA, Sept. 10.—The Rt. Rev. Arthur Foley Winnington Ingram, Lord Bishop of London, arrived here this morning from Quebec. Many local clergymen welcomed him to the city. His Lordship will be the guest of Viceroy Lord Grey while in this city. After his visit here, and at Niagara, the Bishop will go to the United States.

The primary object of the Bishop's visit to America is to participate in the celebration at Jamestown of the 300th anniversary of the establishment of an English church on this continent.

Will Visit Harvard.

While in the United States Bishop Ingram will preach on several other occasions, among them being the laying of the corner stone of the new Cathedral of St. Peter and St. Paul, in Washington, Sunday, Sept. 29. This will be followed by a visit to President Roosevelt. The party will visit Yale and Harvard, and during the last few days of his visit the Bishop will speak in and around New York, reaching England the latter part of October.

FOUR DROWN IN SAGINAW.

SAGINAW, Mich., Sept. 10.—Two young men and two girls were drowned in the Saginaw River last night when a gasoline tank exploded in a power launch in which they were riding. It is thought that the tank caught fire from one of the boat's signal lights.

CAN YOU BEAT IT?

Sughrue's Arraignment.

"The award of the contract by the Superintendent of Supplies, and the approval by the Mayor, were not inadvertent acts, but were done deliberately, after a warning."—Attorney Michael J. Sughrue.

"We'll Protect You."—Fitzgerald.

"It is the intention of the present administration to inaugurate a system in every department which will properly protect the city's interests."—Mayor Fitzgerald.

BIG COAL SALES TO CITY BY DOHERTY

Continued from First Page.

Superintendent Mitchell, Mr. Mitchell testifying that his entire knowledge of the coal business having been obtained from Doherty.

"How did you learn about the coal business?" Superintendent English was asked.

"It just came to my knowledge by inquiry," was the reply.

"What came to your knowledge by inquiry?"

"Coal."

"Of whom did you inquire?"

"Dan Doherty."

"Did he tell you about Klous's coal?"

"No; I asked him about the prices."

"You asked Mr. Doherty, a competitor of Klous, about coal?"

"Yes. He wasn't a competitor then."

"What did he tell you?"

"Simply told me the price of bituminous coal."

"Is that all you learned about coal?"

"Yes."

"And then you proceeded to buy coal in 6,000-ton lots?"

"Yes."

"And you have told us every qualification you had to buy it?"

"Precisely."

"Did you think you were qualified then to buy without competition?"

INQUIRED OF HIM.

"No. The market price made me buy it without competition. When I first took the office I was told the contracts had expired, and, not being well on to my job, I inquired around."

"When weren't you on to your job?"

"About the tenth of May."

"And when were you on to it?"

"The 11th of May. I asked Klous if he would continue his contract at the same price and he refused. He said the price was too much. I then inquired about current prices and did the best I could with Mr. Klous."

"Whom did you inquire of?"

"Oh, the trade generally."

"Whom?"

"Well, Mr. Doherty and another company."

"Is that all?"

"Yes."

"And then you gave the contract to Mr. Klous?"

"I did."

Having secured enough evidence to warrant the summoning of more witnesses, the Finance Commission this afternoon resumes its probe into the conduct of city affairs. At an executive session at the rooms of the commission in the Tremont building, Henry B. Lovering, sealer of weights and measures, to whose department eight more deputies were recently appointed by Mayor Fitzgerald, will appear and explain the reasons for the desired increase. On the advice of the commission these appointments were temporarily held up.

Look Up $34,000 Mystery.

The street department, where James Doyle is boss, is to receive attention from the commission, owing to the fact that it was found that for August the unbearable sum of $34,000 had been made in the conduct of the department. This saving was begun when the Finance Commission started to investigate.

All of Mr. Doyle's office force, and James H. Sullivan, acting superintendent of the ferry division, were suddenly and unexpectedly summoned by District Attorney Moran to give testimony before the Grand Jury yesterday. Each clerk was in the Grand Jury room from five to fifteen minutes. Mr. Moran would make no statement for the unexpected move.

Should Colonel Lovering desire it, the commission will give his department a public hearing today. The matter of weights and measures has prepared a table for the commission showing that the expenses of his department have decreased rather than increased, and that the earnings are being increased slightly each year under his direction.

CITY HALL RING IN PANIC OVER BIG GRAFT PROBE

The City Hall ring were thrown into another spasm of fright today when Secretary Dudley of the Civil Service Commission appeared before District Attorney John B. Moran at his office, accompanied by two clerks. The clerks bore two large books containing certain lists of city employes, and the books, it is alleged, also failed to show the names of certain men, political ward heelers, holding civil service positions under the present system.

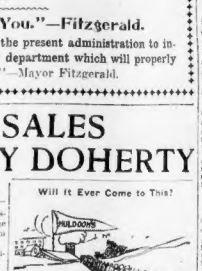
The secretary held a short conference with the District Attorney in his private office and was then excused until further notice from the District Attorney. The clerks, with the large books, declared to await presentation to the Grand Jury.

It has been intimated that the hailing of the secretary of the commission before Moran is the initial step in the presentation to the Grand Jury of certain incriminating evidence of wholesale violations of the law not only by certain heads of departments, but also that an alleged conspiracy will be shown on behalf of certain influential politicians to evade the law.

Inspector Armstrong of police headquarters was assigned to the case several days ago, after the District Attorney had a conference with Superintendent of Police William H. Pierce. The greatest secrecy is being maintained in the conduct of the investigation, but already it has been intimated that a number of very prominent men, politically, have been caught in the drag-net.

Old Chronic Sores Cured by "CTIP. HOUSEHOLD SURGEON." Druggists refund money if DR. PORTER'S ANTISEPTIC HEALING OIL fails. 25c.—Adv.

Will It Ever Come to This?



NERVOUS PROSTRATION IS GETTING PREVALENT.

"NO RATE WAR WITH MELLEN," SAYS MORSE

NEW METROPOLITAN BOSTON-NEW YORK SERVICE AVOIDS CLASH WITH RAILROAD.

Charles W. Morse, head of the Morse steamship combine, arriving in Boston today on the new turbine steamship Harvard, which, with her sister ship, the Yale, is to inaugurate an all-water freight and passenger service between this city and New York, announced that no rate war is expected with President Mellen and the New Haven steamship lines.

"The Metropolitan line is expecting no rate war," said Mr. Morse emphatically to a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter. "We will start in with a rate identical with that of the Fall River line. The Metropolitan line will not cut rates."

Another official of the line, however, said that they were prepared for any move that President Mellen might make. The more must be made by the New Haven first.

Struggle Through Fog.

The Harvard made the trip in 14 hours and 52 minutes, leaving New York at 5 o'clock last night and arriving at Boston at 7.52 a. m. to-day. This is over two hours behind the record of the Yale. This was due to no default of the steamship, but to a dense fog encountered at Martha's Vineyard and which held until Boston Light was reached, also to a strong head tide all the way from New York to Boston.

Notwithstanding these obstacles, the Harvard made in a single hour 22¾ nautical miles, which is equal to over twenty-six statute miles. This is slightly better than the Yale made. The Harvard also was delayed in New York harbor by a tugboat crossing her path, nearly resulting in a collision.

Mr. Morse was very enthusiastic about the performance of the Harvard, and said: "Fifteen hours will be our schedule time for the line between Boston and New York, although in fair weather the vessels will probably make the run in less than thirteen hours. Under the circumstances the Harvard's run was the more remarkable one."

Won't Encourage Rate War.

Captain Charles Blair of the Ransom B. Fuller of the Metropolitan line has been given comm. d of the Harvard, and Captain Criswell of the Herman Winter of the same line will captain the Yale. Both the Harvard and Yale will run on the Metropolitan route.

"We will not cut under the Fall River rates, but we will meet every cut President Mellen makes and will keep it up as long as he cares to do it," said an official of the line. "The people in the Metropolitan line are not in the steamship business for their health, but we do not intend to be driven out. The Harvard and Yale will make a service between Boston and New York that will be hard to equal, and President Mellen cannot drive us out of business."

GIGANTIC COAL MERGER IS ON

By Boston American Leased Wire.

CHICAGO, Sept. 10.—A gigantic coal combine, which will merge coal mines valued at $12,000,000 and bring together under one consolidated company more than thirty of the richest mines of Illinois and Indiana, is in process of formation. The merger will include twenty-five mines of the Danville and Clinton districts in Illinois and the properties of the Kelly, Oakhill and Deering Mining Companies in Indiana.

George T. Buckingham, an attorney, and William Bridgett, an investment broker of Chicago, are conducting the preliminary negotiations. W. S. Bogle, a large coal dealer of Chicago, has come here to aid them in the financing of the proposition. He is expected to return to Chicago to-morrow, and before the end of the week the deal will probably be consummated.

ELEANOR GORDON COMES TO BOSTON

Eleanor Gordon, who joins the Boston Theatre Stock Company next Monday, is to make her first appearance in this city at that time. She will make her debut as Zaza in Belasco's American version, in which Mrs. Leslie Carter starred. Miss Gordon has won success in stock company work and last season her triumphs with the great company at the Grand Opera House in Chicago gained her widespread popularity.

IGNORE LABOR TAFT MEETING

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 10.—Organized labor received an open-handed slap in the face to-day that it was not represented or even any of its leaders invited to be present at the meeting addressed by Secretary Taft in the Grand Opera House yesterday afternoon. The Secretary discussed capital and labor, repeating and rehearsing his views so well known as antagonistic to labor.

It was supposed to be a meeting for the general public, but the platform was filled to overflowing with representatives of capitalistic classes, bankers, brokers and those standing for corporate interests.

BRIGHTON MAN RUN OVER.

WATERTOWN, Sept. 10.—Stewart Sanders of Brighton, employed as a teamster by an express company, was knocked from his wagon on Arsenal street and both wheels passed over his body. He was picked up unconscious and taken to the Waltham Hospital. His condition is critical.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets

give instant relief. Cure every form of stomach weakness. For sale by all druggists. 50 cents for full-sized box.

CHRISTIE IN AUTO CRASH; LIFE CRIPPLE

Daring Racer Terribly Injured in Accident on Track.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 10.—Death and maiming attended the automobile races of the National circuit at Bronson Island, Rex Robertson, president of the Automobile Repair Association of this city, was killed almost instantly; Claire Daskin, his machinist, was probably mortally injured, and Walter Christie, holder of world's records and President of the Christie from Company of New York, was hurt so terribly that if he survives he almost certainly will be a cripple and lose the sight of one eye.

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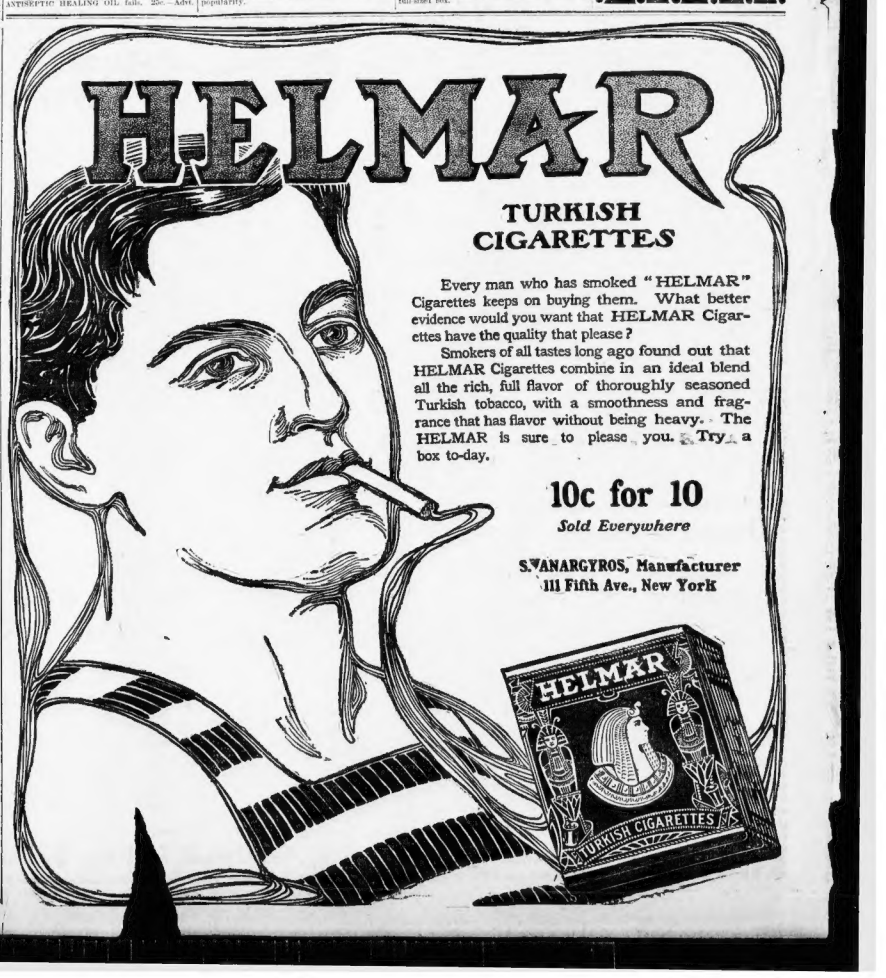

WOMEN FLEE AS $185,000 FIRE THREATENS HOTEL

OCCUPANTS OF BACK BAY APARTMENT HOUSE TERRIFIED BY BURNING OF STABLE.

The fire that burned the livery stable of Edward O. Fitch & Co., early to-day at St. Cecilia and Scota streets, and threw into a panic the occupants of Massachusetts Chambers and did damage that was estimated at nearly $200,000.

Men and women, aroused from sleep by the clanging of the fire gongs and the flash of flames, ran in fright about the apartment hotels, lightly clad.

Besides the great damage of the conflagration to the livery property fifty men were thrown out of employment and three Boston terriers, valued at $5,000, the property of John Murray, were smothered and then burned.

The loss was as follows:

Fire Losses.

William J. O'Brien	$100,000
Florence Miner	75,000
Ferdinand Carriage Co.	5,000
John Murray	5,000
Total	$185,000

William J. O'Brien, owner of the stable, said to a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter:

"My loss will be about $100,000. Every thing on the third floor, which was gutted, was totally destroyed. The building, which was owned by Florence Miner of Beacon street, is damaged to the extent of $75,000, while the Ferdinand Carriage Company, which has a workshop on the Scotia street side, lost $5,000 mostly by water."

Mr. O'Brien said that work would be begun at once on rebuilding the structure.

Sweeping through the big four-story brick stable with incredible rapidity, the fire broke out through the roof, before it had been discovered at 2:05 o'clock this morning, and within a few minutes was lighting up the heavens for miles around and endangering St. Cecilia's church, the Massachusetts Chambers and hundreds of thousand dollars' worth of residential property in its vicinity.

Horses Cazed by Terror.

Realizing their danger during the fire the thirty horses domiciled in the building stabled and snorted in terror, until they were reached by the policemen and firemen. When they were released from their fas tened stalls they dashed madly about, and had gotten such a start that a third alarm was sent in. But ten minutes elapsed between the first and third alarm.

Across the street from the burning stable is St. Cecilia's church. Roused from their sleep by the cries of fire, Fathers Anderson, O'Keefe and O'Neil stood ready to carry out the vestments and other valuables should it catch fire.

The police of Station 16, nearby on Boylston street, were on the scene a minute or so after the alarm, and, working under the direction of Sergeants Reardon, McGuire and McKinnon, hauled into the streets over 100 carriages, housed on the first floor of the burning building, before the flames reached them.

Patrolmen Higgins, Trainor and Joseph McGuire did especially good work in saving property.

The origin of the fire is in doubt, but it is known that it started in the harness room of the stable from some unknown cause.

SMASH RECORDS AT SIEGEL'S FOR ONE-DAY SALE

Big Anniversary Event Which Opened Yesterday Magnet for Big Crowd of Shoppers.

All previous sales records for a single day were eclipsed by the Henry Siegel Company yesterday, and the first day of their second anniversary sale will go down into the history of the big establishment as the banner one thus far in point of sales, attendance and bargains.

On the occasion of the first anniversary, one year ago, there was a tremendous outpouring of bargain hunters and the sales ran far beyond the fondest expectations of the officials of the store. To equal that record was the fond expectation of the management. Not even the most sanguine of those interested expected that it would be doubled. But when all of the shoppers had passed out of the store last evening and the figures of the day's sales were totalled it was found that a new high water mark had been set,—nearly double those of the previous figures.

Of course the ideal shopping weather was an important factor in the tremendous volume of business transacted during the day. But the primary cause was the unusual bargains offered in each of the seventy-five departments.

Awaited Store's Opening.

Long before the doors of the store were thrown open to the public yesterday morning, the advance guard of the army of shoppers had arrived and awaited patiently the opportunity to inspect the bargains piled high on the counters, and with the opening of the doors, the throng poured into the store in a continuous stream, and kept the regular salespeople, who were augmented by additional help in every department, continually on the move.

The purchasers did not confine their attention to any one department. The activity spread over the entire floors of the big building, and early in the afternoon many of the counters were cleared and it was impossible to supply the demand, so unprecedented was the rush. Particularly was this true in the drug department, where some unusual values had been offered. Only the fact that in many instances but one article was sold to a customer, the department would have been entirely sold out of these bargains within a few hours, as it would have been practically impossible to secure the goods fast enough to meet demand.

In the furniture and rug departments, the business transacted was enormous. This applied not only to the cheaper qualfurnishings, one Imperial Kermanshan rug ity of goods, but in the high grade house furnishings, one Imperial Kermanshan rug being sold for $3,800, while two others of the Tebris and Caucus variety were disposed for $3,100, a fair example of the cosmopolitan variety of the shoppers, rich and poor alike taking advantages of the opportunity afforded to secure the unusual values.

Millinery Opening, Too.

It was also the real opening of the millinery department for the Fall and Winter sale of women's hats. That the women appreciate a bargain was never better evidenced than by the steady crowds of bargainhunters who thronged the department. In anticipation of an onslaught by the fair sex, a corps of extra salesladies had been recruited to avoid unnecessary delays for customers, but even this extra help had their hands full to accommodate the big rush of bargain hunters.

When the store closed for the day yesterday nearly all of the counters had practically been stripped of the large piles of merchandise heaped high upon them in the morning. A force of men were put to work after the closing of the store to restock the counters, and with the opening of the doors this morning for the second day of the sale, the Henry Siegel Company was prepared to meet the demands of those who were unable to be present yesterday.

The sale will continue for the part of the week, and the volume of business transacted yesterday insures already a banner week for the concern in point of sales.

100 FIREMEN RISK LIVES IN AIR AT SPECTACULAR BLAZE

Forced to fight fire from a point 125 feet above the street, the lives of over 100 being constantly in danger, firemen last night confined a spectacular blaze to the six-story building in which it originated, at Commercial and Richmond streets. A score of firemen were overcome by smoke, but there were no fatalities. The north wing of the building, which is known as Commercial block, was badly gutted and the loss is $50,000.

Starting from a gas explosion in a fruit store of C. Veloula in the basement at No. 138, the fire swept up through the elevator well and burst out of the roof before it was discovered. Three alarms were sent in because of the prospect that the flames would reach the flammable building next door, in which were stored alcohol, paints and varnishes, and then spread onward through the congested business district.

Ladderman Meehan of Ladder 14, at the risk of his life, entered the burning basement and shut off the gas.

VICTIMS HOLD SECRET NAME OF SLASHER

The police of division 4 are this morning trying to unravel the mysterious slashing of two men near the corner of Eliot and Washington streets at an early hour this morning.

The men, who gave their names as John T. Driscoll, 29, single, of 10 Walt street, Roxbury, and Timothy J. Gallagher, 27, single, of 25 Craver street, were found covered with blood stretched out in the gutter in front of the hat store at the corner of Eliot street and rushed to the Relief Hospital.

The doctors found that the men were both badly slashed about the head and face, and after they had been treated declared that they did not know who their assailant was and gave the police their version of the affair.

The officers are of the opinion that the men are victims of a bold gang and are shielding the men who attacked them.

CALLS ON FRIEND, BITTEN BY DOG

NEWTON, Sept. 10.—William P. Murphy of No. 369 Columbia street, Cambridge, was bitten on the leg in Auburndale by a dog.

Mr. Murphy reports that he had occasion to call at the house of James Winston to-day at Oak Ridge road, and was attacked by Mr. Winston's dog. He was bitten above the knee. Mr. Murphy suggested to the police that the dog be muzzled.

BUSINESS OPENINGS ON THE CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE & ST. PAUL RAILWAY.

New book, "Opportunities in the West," just issued by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway. Describes openings in old and new towns on this railway in Iowa, Minnesota, Dakota and North Dakota—openings for factories, brickyards, general stores, hotels and various professions. This book and folder describes the Pacific Coast extension of this railway mailed free. W. W. H.LL, New England Passenger Agent, 368 Washington st., Boston, Mass.—Advt.

GOMPERS TALKS PEACE PLANS WITH SMALL

Labor Federation President in New York To-day on Telegraphers' Strike.

NEW YORK, Sept. 10.—President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor is in New York to-day in conference with National President Small of the Commercial Telegraphers' Union, with a view to settling the strike.

Gompers came here last night to discuss a proposition which he had to make Small with reference to another attempt to settle the strike of the commercial telegraphers. They went at once into secret conference and at a late hour to-night it could not be learned what the proposition was.

During the day President Small received the following telegram from officials of the Telegraphers' Union in Washington:

"Samuel Gompers requests you to meet him at Pennsylvania station, Twenty-third street, New York, at 6:30 this evening and bring Organizer Herman Robinson with you.

Arbitration Delayed.

"Mr. Gompers will have a proposition to make to you, and we urge that you give it most serious consideration, and, if possible, bring the strike to an honorable termination."

Small said that no date had been fixed for the arrival here of the arbitration committee of forty-five from the locals throughout the country which, it had been originally intended, should meet in this city to-day.

VETERANS REUNITED AT BIG SARATOGA CAMP FIRES

GOVERNOR HUGHES AND ARCHBISHOP IRELAND TO ADDRESS OLD SOLDIERS TO-DAY.

By Boston American Leased Wire.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Sept. 10.—The veterans of the Grand Army on Saratoga to-day. Practically all the members who intend coming here to attend the forty-first annual encampment are in the city. The program to-day is mainly one of reunions. The Twelfth Ohio Battery, Burdan's Sharpshooters, Union Ex-Prisoners of War, Regular Army Veterans and the signal corps are rallied around campfires, lazy at having reunited.

The first session of the encampment will be held to-night, when Governor Hughes will welcome the veterans. Commander-in-Chief Brown, James Tanner, former commander-in-chief, and Archbishop Ireland will speak.

Five candidates are in the field for the office of commander-in-chief. Among them are General John T. Wilder of Knoxville, Tenn.; F. H. Coney of Topeka, Kas.; Charles G. Burton of Nevada and Charles Burrows of Rutherford, N. J.

General Wilder, who commanded Wilder's lighting brigade a famous Zouave fighting brigade a famous Zouave fighting brigade a famous Zouave f

VANITY FAIR IN THE HANDS OF RECEIVERS

PROVIDENCE, Sept. 16.—The career of the Vanity Fair Company, which opened its amusement park on Memorial Day of the present year, came to a temporary halt when Judge Brown of the Superior Court listened to the petition of three creditors at his home and at their request declared the company to be insolvent and appointed James T. Egan of the firm of Gorman, Egan & Gorman temporary receiver.

The three men who appeared before Judge Brown and asked for the decree of insolvency and the appointment of the receiver were Charles E. Gorman, C. Woodbury Gorman and J. W. Wharff, the last named the President of the Vanity Fair Company, but appearing in this case as a stockholder and creditor of the corporation.

Several meetings of the creditors of the Vanity Fair Company have been held, the first one coming early in August. At those meetings it was decided to allow the company to finish out the season, which it did on Sunday last.

The Cause of Many Sudden Deaths.

There is a disease prevailing in this country most dangerous because so deceptive. Many sudden deaths are caused by it—heart disease, pneumonia, heart failure or apoplexy are often the result of kidney disease. If kidney trouble is allowed to advance the kidney-poisoned blood will attack the vital organs, causing catarrh of the bladder, or the kidneys themselves break down and waste away cell by cell.

Bladder troubles almost always result from a derangement of the kidneys and a cure is obtained quickest by a proper treatment of the kidneys. If you are feeling badly you can make no mistake by taking Dr. Kilmer's **Swamp-Root**, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

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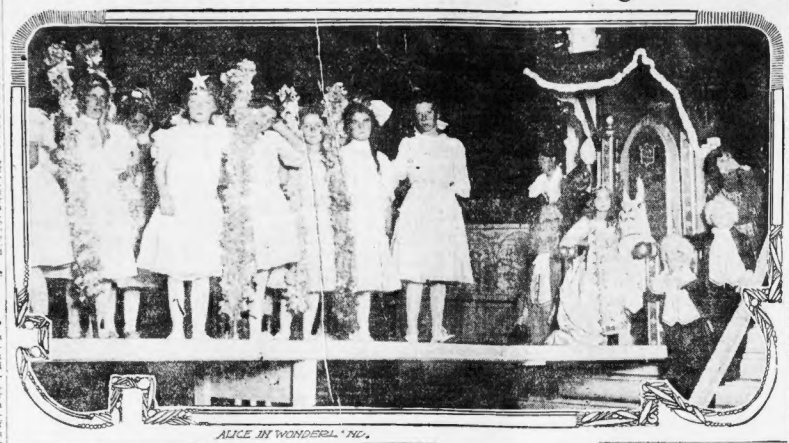
Six-Day Race Opens at Wonderland; Carnival Features Draw Big Crowds



ALICE IN WONDERLAND, INC.

EXPECT SHONTS WEDDING XMAS

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16.—The date of the wedding of Miss Theodora Shonts, and the Duc de Chaulnes of France has been set by friends of the family for Christmas week in spite of the apparent opposition of the father of the young woman.

It is confidently believed the wedding will take place during the holidays in the New York home of the Shontses, and that Miss Shonts brought over with her from Paris an elaborate trousseau.

BULL HALTS QUEEN VICTORIA'S AUTO

MADRID, Sept. 16.—An automobile from the royal stables in which Queen Victoria was driving yesterday from St. Sebastian to Bilbao, was suddenly confronted by a large bull, which placed himself in the roadway immediately in front of the Queen's car and compelled the chauffeur to put on the brakes hurriedly and stop the machine. Her Majesty is described as having been greatly affected by the unexpected meeting with the bull.

Alice and Her Fairy Attendants Continue to Delight Visitors, Both Young and Old, to Big Park.

The great six-day race at Wonderland opened last night with fireworks, a cheering throng and a score of the best long distance pedestrians of the world on the tape.

The ten lap track is laid in the old Wild West ground, where a huge oval inside the track and a big grandstand outside accommodate many thousands of visitors. The oval is reached by an overhead bridge specially built for the occasion at the gate.

"Alice in Wonderland" continues to be a leading open air feature at Wonderland, the performances being held once a day, at 8:30 p. m., and calculated to thrill the hearts of young with joy.

Today will be the last on which the BOSTON AMERICAN free tickets clipped from last Sunday's AMERICAN can be used. They include admission to the Park and with "Alice in Wonderland," the Zayrros on their rolling ball and the multitude of Park features, a ride on the high and swift Velvet Coaster and another upon the Chutes, the highest and most costly structure of its kind in America.

Yesterday the Velvet Coaster and Shoot the Chutes were alive with SUNDAY AMERICAN free ticket holders and this, the last day, is expected to bring out a record free ticket crowd.

Wonderland closes next Sunday at 11 p. m. for the season of 1907.

EDUCATED HORSES AS SPECIAL ATTRACTION FOR REVERE BEACH

During all this week Herr Granado and Fedora, dressed in their elegant skin; in a high wire act upon the beach. Filvera, the aerialist, slides for life, hanging by his teeth from the high tower, a quarter of a mile out into the sea, and Cyclone, the cyclist, does a death-defying bicycle ride down a steep incline, leaping two chasms in the descent.

This is said to constitute the greatest carnival exhibition ever held at Revere, and is a fitting wind up to a successful season for the amusement managers and the tradesmen.

GANG STEALS $10,000 SILVER

NORTH ATTLEBORO, Sept. 16.—Walter Pierce, twenty, of Pawtucket, who was arrested in Providence last night as he was about to dispose of thirty silver spoons valued at $35, the property of the S. S. Gilbert Manufacturing Company, was arraigned in the police court here this morning charged with larceny. His case was continued till Saturday and he was sent to jail without bail.

The arrest of Pierce brings to light the doings of a gang of young thieves who are employed in the jewelry factories here and who have been stealing jewelry and valuables for six months. Pierce, it is said, made a clean confession, admitting stealing eight lots of jewelry since May 1. It is claimed by the various manufacturing concerns here that during the last six months over $10,000 worth of silverware has been stolen from their workrooms.

$100,000 CHAIR SHOP BURNED BY FIREBUGS

GARDNER, Sept. 16.—Firebugs last night started a blaze in the Nichols & Stone chair factory, which resulted in the destruction of the plant, entailing a loss of more than $100,000. The factory was the largest in Gardner, which is known as the chair manufacturing centre of the country.

Four buildings—the main factory, an annex, the paint shop and the office—were wiped out. It was with difficulty that the fire was prevented from spreading to adjoining buildings.

CALL ON IRISH IN AMERICA TO RENEW FIGHT

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Boston central branch of the United Irish League of America to take action on the recent proclamation of six Irish counties under the coercion act and the arrest of members of the United Irish League, resolutions were adopted calling upon the Irish in America to renew the battle for Irish national independence.

The resolutions reviewed the history of the Irish independence movement for many years back and pointed out that, no matter what may have been the conditions heretofore, now all Irish are united for freedom.

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Third prize	10.00		
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BY ASA ROLAND.

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Synopsis

SMITH, a reporter for the BOSTON AMERICAN, while waiting for the Grand Central Station in New York until the Boston train should be called, noticed a foreign-looking woman reading a newspaper. She seemed to be waiting someone. Finally she started toward the Forty-second street entrance, where she met a tall, handsome young man. She spoke excitedly to him, and he started at her words in terror, and as if to see that he held in his hand a black dagger, which had been handed to him by the mysterious young woman.

CHAPTER II.

Had it not been for the distress in the young Greek's face, I doubtlessly would have forgotten the matter in the rush for the Boston Express, announced a few moments later. As it was I took my chair in the parlor car with an uneasy reproachful feeling that I should have followed him and perhaps aided if the opportunity was presented.

By the time New Haven was reached I was so disgusted with my lack of interest in not following the Greek that I could neither read, look out of the window or sit still.

Consequently there was no refuge for me but the smoker's compartment.

My pipe filled, my coat off, I leaned back in a window seat of the empty compartment, thinking of Zara, and the ease with which she would have solved the riddle and laughed at me, as she always did.

This led me to consider the mysterious affair in light of its strict facts. There were but two facts: a woman in black had given a message to a young man of her own race. He was thunderstruck. She left him. They had never met before she handed him the note.

"The hypnotic in the note." I murmured, disconsolate; "Zara would not permit any speculative and assertions are barred. Lacking that——"

"Pardon, sir—a match?"

I dished in my vest pocket, irritably, without looking at the speaker. But on handing out my matchbox I glanced up and saw the young Greek.

Controlling my expression, I stared through the window while I waited for him to return the box, which he did after lighting a cigarette. By means of the reflection of the polished pane I kept him under surveillance until he dropped into a soft seat across the compartment.

Watched

Unconscious that he was being watched the young man leaned his head on his hand and stared at the floor, while he consumed rather rapidly another cigarette after cigarette until the room was blue with the smoke. The porter, lighting the lamps, found us there alone.

"Supper ready now in the dining car forward," announced the waiter, sticking his head in the doorway and addressing himself first to me, then to my companion.

The Greek seemed not to hear.

I dare not leave him there alone, fearing he would disappear; so I resigned my supper intentions and kept him company.

"Express, baggage express?" inquired the train agent, just before the Back Bay Station was reached.

I shook my head and he repeated his query to the Greek.

"Baggage? baggage?" echoed the Greek, seemingly dazed from his long meditation. "Yes, I have baggage."

"Address, sir?" chirped the agent, taking the checks. There were three of them.

The Greek hesitated for an instant, as though he had forgotten how to give one address and had decided to give another.

"Castle Square Hotel?" he decided finally, "that will do."

As he named the hotel he shuddered convulsively.

So lost was he in his thoughts he never noticed the Back Bay Station had been passed until we reached the South Station. He seemed only then to realize where he was.

That he had a companion in the compartment he seemed not to realize, for without a glance in my direction he arose and stalked solemnly out of the compartment. Through the crowd he went, directly to the curb, where he paused to glance at his watch. I took the time also. It was 9:15 p. m.

Follows Stranger

A Roxbury car hove in sight, and without seeming to notice its destination the Greek leaped aboard.

I followed, for there was an ominous atmosphere about the young Greek that impressed me deeply.

I sought the rear platform, and had no sooner reached it than three dark-faced men hurled themselves, one after the other, out of the darkness and joined me.

With my back to the dashboard, I had little difficulty in watching my man. He was three benches away, near the guard rail.

The three dark-faced men, talking in some strange tongue, turned in their seats from time to time and stared at the Greek. Presently one arose and stood by my side.

At Castle Square I was perplexed to find that the Greek made no move to leave the car, which sped on uninterrupted.

It was not until we reached the outskirts of Roxbury that he stirred. He rose and made his way to the running board. As he swung off the car, I caught a look at his face.

Terrible Fear

It was haggard with worry and the eyes were filled with a terrible fear.

No sooner had he dropped from the running board than the three men on the rear platform chuckled among themselves, held a short low-toned consultation and followed my man.

Allowing plenty of leeway I followed, landing a block away in the shadow of a great elm.

Running back along the dark street I caught sight of the three shadowers in close conversation in an doorway. I slowed down to a walk and passed them. But by the time I reached the spot where the Greek left the car he was not in sight.

I looked around. There was but one house in the neighborhood, a dingy shanty, evidently vacant, a little back of the road.

It was hardly probable that he had gone there.

I threw myself in a hedge alongside of the road and awaited for developments.

They were not long in coming.

I heard a soft footstep in the grass, and I raised my head quickly. I saw one of the dark men close to me, with his right hand raised. The ground seemed to fly up to strike the back of my head a terrible blow. I tried to cry for help, but I heard only a gurgle as my senses left me.

(To Be Continued To-morrow)

NEWPORT GLAD TO WELCOME CONSUELO

NEWPORT, R. I., Sept. 10.—Newport rejoices in the report that the Duchess of Marlborough is coming over for a visit in this country, having had the "old home" feeling for some time. The Duchess expects to bring her two sons and will be in New York, and along the Long Island shores and make the trip to Newport if it be not too late in the season.

POTTS TO ADDRESS WAGE EARNERS

The Wage Earners' Central Club will meet to-morrow night at Wage Earners' Hall, No. 1,109 Columbus avenue, Roxbury Crossing. President John H. Potts of the Wage Earners' Central Club will address an open meeting of the Ward 10 Wage Earners' Club tonight at the same place.

CONTEST CONDITIONS

THIS story will run through the week. The first chapter, in which the mystery will be solved, will be printed in next Sunday's BOSTON AMERICAN.

The only day on which no instalment of the story will appear will be Saturday. The next to the last chapter will be printed Friday, and then everybody will have until 8 p. m. Saturday in which to solve the mystery.

The person who solves the mystery most accurately will receive the first prize of $50.

If no one solves the mystery accurately, the one who comes nearest to a correct solution will receive the first prize.

REMEMBER

That this is a test of SKILL IN THINKING, not skill in writing. All you have to do to win first prize is to THINK OUT the solution of the mystery QUICKER than somebody else. The literary merit of the answers will not be considered.

That in case two or more answers are equally correct, the prizes will be awarded ACCORDING TO THE POSTMARKS ON THE ENVELOPES, the one mailed first receiving the first prize, etc.

That persons living at a distance from Boston have just as good a chance to win prizes as those who live right in Boston. NO ANSWER POSTMARKED LATER THAN 6 P. M. SATURDAY WILL BE CONSIDERED.

Address all communications to PRIZE STORY EDITOR, BOSTON AMERICAN, No. 80 Summer street, Boston.

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High Food Prices Are Bound to Soar Higher This Fall

THE Summer season virtually came to an end to-day and the many thousands of Bostonians who returned from their annual vacations found themselves confronted with a situation which promises to work great hardship during the Winter.

Droughts throughout the entire State and neighboring communities from which the metropolis draws its immense supply have caused a raise in price of every necessity of life, and in consequence suffering will be felt throughout the city long before the chilly blasts of the late Autumn begin to blow.

Cereals, eggs, fruit, coal, wood, and, in fact, the commodities imperative to human maintenance, have leaped to figures heretofore unknown even in the most trying times.

Pasturages for cattle, horses, chickens, all fowns of the yard and the beasts of the fields, have reached unprecedented market prices. As a result beef will take another leap within a fortnight.

An Advance in Everything

ALREADY there has been a general advance of approximately forty per cent. in the barest necessaries of life. It is impossible to get good milk in large quantities at any price. Ordinary foods for milk cows are $7 a wagon load higher to-day than a year ago. It is fruitless to attempt to get dairy hands at the wages the producers can afford to pay. Bad milk is converted into cheese, while that the farmers cannot afford to carry to a far-away market is churned into butter. The commodity alone has advanced more than fifteen per cent. The poor of Boston can buy only the worst grades, while the best are bringing very high prices in the best markets.

Even Cheese Costs More

THE very shallowest quality of cheese brought to this city ordinarily retails at thirteen cents per pound. Only the very poor purchase it. In former years there has been an overabundance. This season it is up a cent a pound, and dealers are already warning their customers that a greater raise is imminent at an early day.

Eggs have broken all records, and each market report shows that the advance has not reached its height. Owing to the lateness of the Summer, few setting hens consparatively, were grown, and Boston's egg supply must suffer. There is great demand for even the poorest eggs. The product usually utilized in cooking is eagerly sought by the poorer classes for eating purposes. In a word, there will be as cooking eggs until next Spring.

Canned Goods Soar

THE lateness of the Summer made large fruit and vegetable products impossible. Tomatoes, which grow in great profusion, as a rule, in all parts of the State, are so scarce that only a few will be canned. The demand at this time is greater than the supply, and the canneries have sent up the prices 40 per cent.

Other goods of this sort, such as peas, spinach, beans and rhubarb, have taken similar advances, and the supply is limited at that.

The same condition of affairs exists where fruits are canned, and preserves and jams during the cold months will climb to new levels.

Meat, which has continually soared for more than a year, continues its upward gait. As an evidence of the condition of affairs, the restaurants where the poor and middle classes dine, which have attached to their bills of fares notices calling the attention of the public to the necessity of adding five cents to the price of every order. Where the extravagance of the market will end the dealers do not attempt to forecast.

Advance reports show that the coal and wood supplies are shorter than in years, so not alone will the poor be deprived of much that is necessary in life but great suffering must result, owing to the prices of those two positive necessities.

It is predicted in every line that this will be the severest Winter ever experienced by the poor of Boston. Even the prices of ice remains high, while the salaries of those who battle for their daily needs are the same as ever.

Best Foods to Give Sick and Emaciated

THE following list will be found particularly helpful as suggesting desirable foods of special nutritive value to the emaciated:

Soups—Broths, all kinds, with macaroni or vermicelli. Thick soups.

Fish—Raw oysters. All fresh fish.

Meats—Chopped or scraped, raw or rare, mixed with broths, burgundy and water, or made into sandwiches. Ham, broiled bacon, beef juice, mutton, chicken, game, cod liver oil as food, plenty of butter, beef meat, jelly, brains, liver, bone marrow.

Eggs—Soft boiled, poached, scrambled, baked, raw, beaten up with sherry or with whiskey.

Farinaceous (in plenty, unless indigestion)—Bread, cakes, tapioca, sago, groats, barley, barley, cooked wheat, graham grits, rolled oats, rolled rye, cornmeal, malt extracts, granose, somatose crackers shredded wheat.

Vegetables—Most kinds well boiled or as purees.

Dessert—Sweet fruits, custard, calf's foot jelly, fruit jam, jellies, baked apples, pears, prunes, marmalade, egg and milk pudding, honey, cake, chocolate.

Beverages—Cocoa, water, aponized water, milk, cream, equal parts of milk and very hot water one hour before eating, chocolate, cocoa, peptonized milk, malted milk, Kumiss Kefir.

Avoid—Pork, veal, greasy hashes, salt meat except ham, made dishes, cabbage, cucumber, turnips, carrots, squash, asters, pickles, pies, pastry, pineapple, bananas.

HEIGHT OF FASHION IN NEW FALL HATS

THIS picturesque hat is a Fall importation and one of many ordered by a Beacon street bride-elect.

It is of pale gray velvet, and the brim curves most becomingly, the sheen of the velvet on the under side giving the effect of a lighter shade. Natural ostrich feathers, which means those that are uncurled, in a smoke gray tone that shades from silver to stone, with brownish lights, blend exquisitely with the soft castor gray of the velvet bows.

Who Will Ever Solve the Riddle of the Inconsistency of Woman

Dorothy Dix Says Man Never Tires of Trying

BY DOROTHY DIX

WHO shall understand woman, for her ways are strange and past finding out?

She is the one thing in nature that never changes, yet is always changing. Even as our Mother Eve was, so are all her daughters to this day, and yet the woman who was short and fat, and had black hair best work, this week may be a willowy blonde.

Woman has no physical strength. She cannot lift a fifty-pound weight, nor walk five miles, nor emulate any of the feats of physical prowess of man, and yet her constitution withstands daily a strain that would send a Sandow to his coffin.

Fruit, flirtations, dime novels, lobster Newburg, pickles, ice cream and forty-seven different varieties of cakes, and strip off their flannels and furs and heavy shoes to wear peekaboo shirtwaists and satin slippers in Winter, and not only do they live to tell the tale, but to repeat the performance ad libitum.

Woman is afraid of a mouse, but not of a lion. She will faint at a pin prick, but file calmly down on the operation table and let herself be cut to pieces.

Easily Bothered

She will sit down and cry her eyes out if her new skirt does not hang right when it is sent home from the dressmaker, but when her fortune is swept away she'll get up and go cheerfully to work to earn her bread and butter.

She heads all of the great humanitarian movements, and is the mainstay of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals and a charter member of the Audubon Society, yet she wears a baby lamb coat and a hat covered with feathers.

When she goes shopping she will reason nine by lunching on a chocolate eclair and a glass of ice water and then pay fifty cents for a necktie that she has gone there with a complacent feeling that she has saved money.

She takes thirty-dollar courses of physical culture exercises and spends an hour every morning practising with dumbbells and weights to keep her figure slim and supple and likes a woman to make her loads and assess her floors because she hasn't the strength to do her housework.

She breaks her back and puts out her eyes cutting out little holes in cloth and filling them in with fine embroidery stitches and is always on a still hunt for somebody to do any sewing for her.

She is against at the idea of giving five dollars outright to charity, but she will contribute ten dollars' worth of cakes or fancy work to bazaar or church fair and give herself nervous prostration running it.

She wears her hat, and her test of a good play is the number of handkerchiefs that it spoils for her.

She also mistakes melancholy for morals and is suspicious of every woman who laughs much.

She will break her neck to catch a man, and the minute she has him she tiptoes away on the pair by which she lured him to the book.

She may love a man well enough to be willing to die for him, but she will not take the trouble to make him comfortable or give him a good dinner.

Must Nag Husband

When she sees that she is losing her husband's affection, she undergoes the tortures of the inferno, but she cannot stop nagging him and doing the thing that she knows is driving him from her.

When duty calls, she will send the man she loves to the uttermost ends of the earth cheered by her brave smile and wave of the hand, but when he's at home she will walk the floor in agony when he's five minutes late, fearing that he has gotten lost between his office and the house.

She thinks her husband the nicest man in the world and perfectly capable of running the universe, but she deprecates his judgment when he goes to pick out his neckties and is certain that he hasn't enough sense to change his shoes when he gets his feet wet.

Her ideal of a husband is a man who is a relentless tyrant, yet lets her have her own way in every particular; who is an oracle, but consults her for advice, and who is an honored citizen everybody else, but a seething volcano to her.

She believes her children to be perfectly beautiful, though they may have carroty hair, no eyebrows, white eyelashes and faces as expressionless as a cream cheese. She also is sure they are geniuses, no matter how dull they may be.

Stretch Conscience

She may have the most delicate perception of right and wrong, but where her children are concerned she is without morals or principle.

She would not for the world destroy another's property, but if it amuses little Janie to scratch pictures with a pin on your antique mahogany table she thinks you are a selfish brute to object to it.

She cannot abide noise or dirt—is her own children who are the cause of both, and then she becomes as deaf and blind as the sexton's wife.

In ethics she hates the sin and loves the sinner. She cries out for justice for the criminal, and the minute the chance of his being punished is passed around with a petition for his pardon.

She is an idealist with the most childish and faulty grasp of facts, and contradicts herself at every turn.

The man can count on it that she does best, that she is a riddle hardly worth trying to solve.

Why does a woman paint and powder daily when it does not add one bit to her looks or to her attractiveness?

AN EXCLAMATION

"What? The Idea! Impossible!" she says to some proposition,

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FRIED GREEN TOMATOES

SLICE tomatoes quite thin; season with salt and pepper, fry in fat. Brown on both sides. This is a nice dish for either supper or breakfast.

WHO CAN MAKE ELDERBERRY WINE?

WILL some one please send to a recipe for elderberry wine? MRS. M. J. DUBIA. No. 678 Cabot street, North Beverly.

PUMPKIN MARMALADE OR MOCK GINGER

TAKE a medium sized pumpkin, weighing over five pounds, five pounds granulated sugar, one-half dozen lemons, two dozen whole ginger, (if pumpkin is small dice quite small or needle), then add sugar and let stand over night. Next morning cut pumpkin in small pieces, which are reduced fine. $1.50 a piece.

add ginger, broken in small pieces, one-half pound of green citron, boil in molasses to foam and add one half cups of chopped raisins, one spoon of clove and cinnamon and chopped citron. Bake about an quarter hours in a slow oven.

MRS. M. PETE No. 98 Harcard street, Dorchest

SUGAR COOKIES

TWO cups of sugar, one cup of butter, one cup of sour cream, one teaspoon of soda. Mix well the latter, then add the eggs. After ing soda well into cream add make into a soft dough. Bake MRS. GEO. No. 66 Bowdoin street, Bo

THE TURN OF THE BALANCE

A Thrilling Romance of American Life---By Brand Whitlock

CHAPTER VI.—Continued.

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DELANEY looked uneasily at the judge and then let his eyes fall.

"No, Judge, Yer Honor," he said, "nothing but that I'm an innocent man. I didn't do it, Yer Honor."

The remark did not seem to impress the judge, who turned toward the lawyer. This young man, with a venturesome air, stepped a little farther from the sheltering company of his associates, with a face that was very white and lips that faltered, said in a confused, hurried way:

"Your Honor, we hope your Honor will be as lenient as possible with this man; we hope your Honor will be as—lenient as possible." The words were died away and he faded back, as it were, into the shelter of his companions. The judge did not seem to be more impressed with what the lawyer had said than he had with what the client had said, and twirling his glasses by their cord, he turned toward the assistant prosecutor.

Lamborn, with an affectation of great ease, with one hand in the pocket of his creased trousers, the other supporting a book of memoranda, advanced and said:

"May it please the Court, this man is an habitual criminal; he has already served a term in the penitentiary for this same offence. We consider him a dangerous criminal, and the State feels that he should be severely punished."

McWhorter studied the ceiling of the courtroom a moment, still swinging his eyeglasses by their cord, and then, fixing them on his nose, looked wisely down at the attorney. Presently he said:

"It is always an unpleasant duty to sentence a man to prison, no matter how much he may deserve punishment."

McWhorter paused as if to let every one realize his pain in duty compelling him to go on:

"But it is our duty, and we cannot shirk it. A jury, Delaney, after a fair trial, has found you guilty of burglary. It appears from what the prosecutor says that this is not the first time you have been found guilty of this offence; the experience does not seem to have taught you any good.

"You impress the court as a man who has abandoned himself to a life of crime, and the court feels that it cannot properly in a sentence in this instance that will serve as a warning to you and to others. The sentence of the court is—"

McWhorter paused as if to balance the scales of justice with all nicety, and then he looked away. He did not know exactly how many years in prison would explain Delaney's crime; there was, of course, no way for him to tell. He thought first of five, then, as the saying is, he split the difference, inclined the fraction to the prisoner, and said:

Criminals!

"The sentence of the court is that you be confined in the Penitentiary at hard labor for the period of seven years, no part of your sentence to be in solitary confinement, and that you pay the costs of this prosecution."

Delaney sat down without changing expression and held out his hands for the handcuffs. He stood silently, and the scratch of the judge's pen could be heard as he entered the judgment in the docket.

These proceedings were repeated again and again. McWhorter read the title of the case. Danner unshackled the prisoner, who stood up, gazing dumbly at the floor. His lawyer asked the Court to be lenient. Lamborn asked the Court to be severe. McWhorter twirled his gold glasses, looked out of the window, made a little speech, guessed, and pronounced sentence.

The culprit sat down, held out his hands for the manacles, then the click of the steel and the scratch of the pen started. It grew monotonous.

Just before the last man was called to book John Eades, the prosecutor, entered the court room. At sight of him the young lawyer rose from the benches, even the judge looked up.

Eades's tall figure had not yet lost the grace of youth, though it was giving the first evidence that it had reached that period of life when it would begin to gather weight. He was well dressed in blue clothes of a business man, and he was young enough at thirty-five to belong to what may not too accurately be called the new school of lawyers, growing up in a day when the law is changing from a profession to a business, in distinction from the passing day of long coats of professional black, of a gravity that frequently concealed a certain profligacy, and never it was successful of native ability that could ignore application.

Eades's dark hair was carefully brushed above his smooth brow; he wore heavy eyebrows, a large nose, and a thirty-set jaw that gave strength to a clean-shaven face. He whispered a word to his assistant, and then said:

"May it please the court, when the case of the State versus Henry C. Graves is reached, I should like to be heard."

The court was about to dispose of that case, Mr. Eades," said the judge, looking over his dockets and fixing his glasses on his nose.

"Very well," said Eades, glancing at the group of young attorneys between, represents the defendant."

The young lawyer thus indicated emerged from the group that seemed to keep so closely together, and said:

"Yes, Your Honor, we'd like to be heard also."

"Graves may stand up," said the judge, removing his glasses and fitting back in his chair, as it to listen to long arguments.

TO BE CONTINUED.

DAILY PUZZLE PICTURE
New England Animals

WHAT ANIMAL IS THIS?

ANSWER:

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When two lists are equally good, the prize will be awarded to the one who makes the best suggestion.

The list of prize-winners in last week's contest, together with the final picture in this week's series, will be printed in next Sunday's BOSTON AMERICAN.

HOW TO BE BEAUTIFUL

BY THE PROFESSOR

SO MANY complaints come to me in regard to pimples and blackheads that I shall talk to you to-day about them, hoping thus to answer all who are anxious on this point.

In the first place, pimples, blackheads, etc., are nearly always the outward signs of something wrong with the digestive apparatus and that the blood has absorbed from them improperly digested food and is trying to eliminate these impurities through the pores.

Again, bad circulation and insufficient perspiration will allow the pores to clog. Then, sometimes, if you can shower or sponge perspiration they will be washed clean of the obstructions.

It will do no permanent good if you go to a specialist and have her work for hours on your face to get rid of these blemishes unless you first get the system into order.

Take Exercise

Take a great deal of exercise in the open air, breathing deeply every moment of the day; eat a great deal of greens and fresh vegetables, with meals at home; drink drinking coffee and tea and eat all the fruit you can, besides drinking gallons of water between meals.

Treatment to Use

So much for general treatment for all blackheads, etc., but you would avoid them. Now, if you have blackheads that refuse to remove themselves rub on the face and neck equal parts of thrice-refined oil of green soap and witch hazel. Let it stay on but a few minutes, then wash off with a soft cloth.

If the soap irritates the skin, as it sometimes does, use only every alternate night. Apply a good cold cream after washing, and once or twice a week scrub the face well with a soft complexion brush and castile soap. Any other known method of putting water on it use a cleansing cream made of equal parts of sweet almond oil and orange flower water with half the amount of white wax.

If the blackheads do not disappear after this, try opening up the pores by the application of a hot bath towel held tightly over the affected parts. Then carefully press out the accumulated matter from the pores with an instrument made for that purpose and which any one may buy at the shops.

Don't try to get them all at one sitting, but scatter them around so as not to make any one spot on the face irritated. Rub in well a good face cream and dash the face with cold water into which you have put a few drops of benzoin.

Applications Beneficial

As far as pimples are concerned the best thing for them, in addition to the general treatment outlined in the beginning, is to open them slightly at the point with a needle, which has been dipped into peroxide. Then dab them well with the peroxide until the pus has all been eaten up.

After this apply hot wet towels to take out any irritation, and then use cold water applications with the lemon.

If you will follow these directions any ordinary case of pimples can be cured in a little time. Always be sure that you are using powders and creams that contain nothing injurious to the skin, and you need have no further trouble; that is, provided you are eternally vigilant concerning your diet, etc. If this treatment does not suffice consult a physician.

Will all who have lately ad on this subject please consid written for one and that is pu as all the questions have been herein?

WALNUT HAIR

DEAR PROFESSOR:

Will you please tell me hair dye that will make the ural inspiring it?

I DO NOT advocate the use of dyes, but if you want to use one that is perfectly harmless, try the following: Take four ounces of green walnut pulp, to which add sixteen ounces of alcohol. Let it stand eight days, then strain it. Shampoo the hair, removing all oil, and then apply a few drops of the mixture at a time, allowing it to dry between each application. Brush the hair well and repeat the process every day for a week or ten days. This will darken the hair gradually, but surely, and will not injure it.

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The Girl Raffles," one of the most
recent melodramas of the stage to-day,
is full of love, romance and adventure, and
with the title role of Raffles in the hands
of Cecil Spooner, is the attraction at the
Bijou Theatre for the first half of this
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waif whose life has been lived among a
gang of crooks and whose parentage is unknown to her. Her experiences in trying
to solve this mystery and the great safe
cracking scene, in which she secures the
papers that clear up her identity, make the
play a very interesting one to witness.

GIRL WITH WINK WARMLY APPLAUDED

time this season at the Grand
Opera House last night. Let the girl with the wink," was applauded time and time again, and rightly so. Cents. the leading role. Will J. Kennedy, as Boston tra Tich, Herford, a good deal more prominent ing wor in fun made a hit because of his cleverness ment, o acting and singing. Miss Scarlet proved to be an ideal soubrette, and the remainder of the cast, including the eccentric dancers, George Cooper, and a tal Ryan, Ed. Rich and Harry Bradford, the fighting parson, equally ers are sharp in the applause with Miss Williams.

OUR ATTRACTIONS CONTINUE HERE

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ler to the ranks of the English-speaking
neither stage is a very important one, for he is
sit still. one of the most versatile players of the day.

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eye and ear, it would be hard to find
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PICTURES AT THE HUB.

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Lyceum Theatre

"Supper
Large houses seem to be the rule here
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be a pleasing entertainer with his stories and songs.
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HERE'S A GOOD LAUGH

Lottie Williams, as "Josie, the Little Madcap," at the Grand Opera House.

AT THE VARIETY HOUSES.

Keith's Theatre

Paul Conchas, of whom the Keiths boasts, is easily the feature of the Keith bill this week, with his remarkable juggling of canes, corpulent and rotund. He indulges a human being catching on the back of his neck a dozen canes deftly yolled thrown one after the other from a great height, and making fun of the incident. Conchas has a comedian with him who deserves to have his name on the program. Bessie Wynn, one of singleland's prettiest comediennes, made a really great hopping with her Teddy Bear song. Fred Walton revives his "Chasie's Dream" to good effect, and May Tully, in her unique sketch called "Stop, Look, Listen," gives remarkable impersonations of Mrs. Carter and Ethel Barrymore, with just a touch of emotional acting that reveals unusual talent.

The most amusing thing on the bill this week is an interpolation called "Buried Boston" a moving picture film of the Labor Day parade and other incidents fairly makes spectators scream with delight. George P. Watson and Florence Little have a pretty vocal comedietta, in which both prove that they can sing acceptable, and Smith and Campbell do their familiar sidewalk talkfest. In the balance of the bill are De Voy and Miller, acrobatic humorists; Jessie Blair Stirling, in Scotch songs; Petching brothers, in a musical garden; the Robinson-Parquette trio; Dailey and Randall, fancy juggling comedists; Lonnie Follett, a clever young soubrette.

Orpheum Theatre.

In the decidedly English company which Harry Tate brought from the other side to present his playlet in presenting a sketch called "Motoring," a burlesque on an automobile craze at the Orpheum this week, are some comedians who are wonders in the art of creating humor by facial expressions alone. Just a look at the quartet gathered about a broken down motor is enough to make a person forget even his debts. Evidently Tate himself and the others are among those Englishmen who have a sense of humor that is keenly developed. As a climax to a great bill this comedy is an excellent remedy to carry home. Burke and his school girls are another huge hit on the program, and Burke's dancing is as clever as ever. Bert Levy, the artist, who whistles while he works, would have been drawing humorous sketches yet if the audience lost interest had its way. Louise Henry, the "Idea Maid" girl, made a hit, and the troupe cannot be had to sing a lot more songs than they intended to. Faulkner, male impersonator of females, Clifford and Burke, old favorites, Palfrey and Hoefler, acrobatic cyclists, and Dorothy Drew complete the bill.

Howard Athenaeum

Crowded houses greeted the Kentucky Belles yesterday at the old Howard in Mr. Wise from Broadway." Sheppard Camp is chief comedian. The burlesque is carried with it Fleming and Miller, two English-Americans, in songs and cross-fire that would entitle them to vaudeville circuits and Amato, in "The Miner and the Maid," and Andy McLeod, Irish monologist. The Howard's olio was headed by Emmette and La Rue, novelty acrobats. Bell and Ward presented a clever singing and dancing act, while the Lyric Trio excelled as novelty dancers. "McCarthy's Reception" was the title of Jack Mason's sketch given by Needham and Wood. The "Kid" impersonator and Mr. Needham this was another appreciative number.

Tremont Theatre

Did George Evans, known as the "honey boy," fire the opening gun in a local vaudeville war at the Tremont Theatre yesterday? Evans was trying hard to get the audience to sing one of his songs, when he said:

"Make enough noise so that they can hear you over at Keith's Theatre. We're the ones that have advanced a whole lot in popularity since he was last seen here, and that isn't very long ago. The best thing about Keith's is that he is so witty and up-to-date that he has funny remarks to make about the latest things of the day."

The bill this week is a worthy successor to that of last week. The Max Tourbillon Troupe are cyclists who perform some thrilling feats, aided and some remarkably clever tumbling. Carlin and Otto are really the "Rogers Brothers" of vaudeville. Williams and Tucker delighted in their quaint sayings as "Skinny Finish," entitled "Skinny's Return." Dumont's Minstrels sang and played their way into favor. The London Models appeared in an entire change of subjects, but although their work was wonderfully artistic, the art did not awaken much enthusiasm. Nellie Beaumont would have fallen rather flat but for the good support her girls gave her. Karno's pantomimists appeared in "A Night in the London Slums," and provoked as much laughter as ever.

Columbia Theatre

Advanced vaudeville," so-called, struck town a few weeks ago, but no one could distinguish any difference from the old brand. It is a far different story with "realistic burlesque," as given by the Rialto Rounders at the Columbia last night, when Sam Howe came forth on his long steed and galloped his way into the good graces of the audience. In the olio the most improved feature was furnished by Sam Howe and company in a romantic little sketch which took hold of the heart-strings in a most appealing manner. Miss Ida Gilmore and Miss Lisette Howe were also big assets. To-night Smith and young McGrath will wrestle to a finish, both using new breary wrestling suits. We expected to give a rattling good exhibition. Friday night four amateurs will again be on hand with their usual amount of fun.

Palace Theatre

Another splendid travelling company and another big continuous bill of burlesque and vaudeville is presented at the Palace Theatre this week. The travelling attraction is Sam A. Scribner's show, in "An Accidental Discovery of Youth," in three acts. It is a fine show, and the second act is the best. Dorcas Catherine Johnson and Miss Bloss-som, Rose Fleming, are leading girls. The olio presents Palmdo, "the Instrumental Wizard;" Hodges and Hodges, musical artists; Colton and Darrow, "Late for the Act;" Curtis and Blossom, acrobatic comedians; Bowen and Lima, comedy horizontal bar artists, and the Dancing Mirrors, moving pictures. The Palace bill includes Ryan and Richfield, comedy acrobats; Lewis and Mary, dancing; Rob and Beulah Hedger, eccentric comedy sketch artists, and Smarz, comedy acrobats; John Lavin, male impersonator; Hodges, and the Palace troupe. Smoking is permitted.

VIOLA ALLEN HAS A RIVAL AS "GLORY"

Could Viola Allen have come into the Boston Theatre last night, when Mabia Reade was doing her best work in the third act of Hall Caine's famous play, "The Christian," as Henry Dwight, she would have witnessed acting that was every bit as good as her own in the days when the Viola Allen Gloria was famous. The Boston Theatre stock company last night added another distinct triumph to its career at the first night of "The Christian."

Wilson Melrose's John Storm was unpardonably satisfying and he grasped every opportunity to make the play ring true. He reminds one greatly of Edward Morgan in the character. Louise LaVerne as Mrs. Callender made a distinct hit.

"A COWBOY'S GIRL" FULL OF INTEREST

"A Cowboy's Girl," replete with many stirring incidents of life in the West, was presented by the stock company at the Bowdoin Square Theatre yesterday.

Clayton Legge, in the role of Teddy Moore, was ever at the side of Isla, the heroine, when most needed. His characterization was very good. Jane Stuart played the part of Isla Rivers to perfection. Others in the cast were Edwin Denison, Isabel Sherman, Florence Hale, H. J. Leland, Harry Brooks, Mabel Pierce, W. H. Starkey, Tommy Shearer and Dwight Gaylord.

OVATION FOR SINGERS IN "MIGNON"

An audience that completely filled the Castle Square Theatre last evening expressed its hearty approval of the manner in which that splendid company presented Ambroise Thomas's "Mignon" by enthusiastic applause at every possible opportunity. At times the condition of some of the dramatic parts of the romantic and tuneful composition resulted in an ovation for the performers. Rarely has Mr. Mason's stock company appeared to better advantage than

Miss Clara Lane sang the role of Mignon, the daughter of a noble family, who was stolen as a child by gypsies, and Harry Davies was the young student, Wilhelm Meister who freed her from the tyranny of the band. Miss Lane not only sang her part superbly, but her acting was realistic. Mr. Davies sang with fine effect.

Miss Frieda von Bluemlein, as the young gallant who was in love with Filina, an actress, made a distinct hit by her spiritual singing and acting. The part of Filina was rendered in a very pleasing manner by Alice Kraft Bentson, and she was called back time and again.

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GANS WINS EASILY; FANS SAY BRITT QUIT

"I Was Utterly Helpless."—Britt.

"I was utterly helpless. I could not even hold up my left hand after I broke it. I had to guard for Gans's left and had no punch except with my right."—Statement of Britt after the fight.

By Boston American Leased Wire.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 10.—Joe Gans, the lightweight champion of the world, is walking the streets of this city to-day as proud as a peacock. The colored fistic wonder certainly "brought home the bacon," as he said he would. The Baltimorean doesn't bear a scratch as a result of his bout with Jimmy Britt, the local fighter.

Britt's stock was fearfully depreciated in the past twelve hours. He is no longer regarded with the favor and esteem with which he was formerly held. A majority of the fans who paid their good money to see the two pugilists meet in the ball park believe that Britt did not break his wrist as he asserted when the ball rang for the men to come together for the sixth round. They say that it was a sheer case of quit on the part of the local man.

Gans Declared Winner.

The monster gathering could hardly believe their eyes when Britt refused to go to the center of the ring at the tap of the gong. They thought that there must be some jobbery being done, so they strained their ears to hear what the principals might say. Then, to their astonishment, Referee Welch stepped to the ropes and declared that Gans was the winner of the battle, and that Britt had broken his left wrist as a result of his arm coming in contact with Gans's elbow the previous round.

Cries of "faker" and "quitter" rent the air and fifteen thousand fans left the arena sad and disappointed.

Britt got a terrible punishment during the five rounds he faced the Oriole. He was walloped left and right until his face was covered with blood, and he was panting for wind. So it looks as though his desire to retain his good appearance had led him to quit and stall on declaring that he had hurt his arm.

The white man's face was crimson. His sides were red. His arms were becoming limp when, in the fifth round, Gans rushed him twice to the ropes and, with the wonderful skill he has shown in one hundred and five battles, pounded him to his opponent and blocked his blows as if he were a mere child. Britt made no fans as a tallow candle is to an electric light.

It was one of the greatest exhibitions of individual boxing ever seen on the Coast. Gans, the human machine, the dark, dodging shadow, actually laughed in the face of his opponent. He would jab with the awful left hand that has laid so many men low, and Britt would feint with the right, and as Britt plunged toward him he would be gently rushed out of range, while Jimmy's fists massaged the lanscape air.

Gans Fought Carefully.

Gans fought carefully at first. He was fully conscious of the belief in the minds of many that he had "fixed" the fight. And he knew that the fighting days of Joe Gans would be ended if he resorted to dishonest methods. So he fought as only a Joe Gans can.

At the start he fooled around with his right, puzzling Britt, but suddenly, and mysteriously that the famous left would shoot out like a black arrow and land on the jaw. But Gans, "the Old Master," was merely keeping this way, getting a line on Britt's tactics and shaping his course accordingly.

As if he were at a picnic and enjoying himself hugely, Gans sauntered into the ring, grinning, confident, jubilant. One moment he sent a terrific right swing at Britt's head that knocked James Edward's dome of thought sideways. Then Gans would shoot the left over and James Edward's shrinking opponent would duck over the other way. Again, the festive Joseph would stick his left straight out and Mr. Britt's head would bounce back with a jar that made him feel as comfortable as a man with overalls and a high hat in the ballroom of the Waldorf-Astoria.

In the fifth round, Gans, seeing he had his man at his mercy, cut loose as if he were mad. But his face was serene enough. It was the same dusky, shining visage that adorned the streets in the days when he wasn't fighting. He forced Britt around the ring, making James look like a little dog with a can tied to its tail.

At the end of the fifth, when Gans had sledge-hammered the presumptuous young gentleman, Britt, he said that his wrist had been broken but the crowd laughed. So did referee Welch. He came over to the AMERICAN reporter.

"I'm a doctor," he said, significantly, "but I guess Britt can't break his wrist and continue. In any case, he was thoroughly whipped, and couldn't have stood it much longer."

Britt's seconds made the statement that their man was injured in the fourth round, when he struck Gans on the arm in a mix-up.

It was difficult to believe that the pathetic figure which vainly strove to reach the dark face and the shiny stomach which was the one that whipped Battling Nelson.

Gans 2 to 1 Favorite.

There was very little Britt money when the odds were jammed down to 2 to 1 on Gans. Sam Rickard, who headed a big delegation of Nevada sports, offered $5,000 at 2 to 1 on Joe, and offered any amount at 10 to 7 that "the old master" would be within eighteen rounds.

The scene at the ball grounds, where thousands of men, yelling, waving their hats and stamping upon the wooden floor of the grandstand, on walls on the rocky ledges, the cliffs and the green hills above the eminences to the south of the park, 8,000 men, many of them with opera glasses, watched the struggle.

Gans arrived at the grounds nearly two hours before the fight was scheduled to begin. He was accompanied by his wife, the crowd, as was to be expected, showed indications of impatience and the police department deemed it wise to mollify them by treating to a quartette.

The fifteen thousand men ceased their uproar and the turmoil gradually subsided as the four singers thrilled in the ring, where blood was to be shed, the fight lovers were transformed into music lovers.

Gans and his wife, both smiling, looked on and listened intently. Then "the Old Master" strode forward, and, with the courtesy for which he is famous, asked if the entertainers wouldn't sing "My Old Kentucky Home," so that he'd get his red blood moving and fight with a picture on his home, his old folks and his ancestors in his mind.

The quartette started and they started with their hearts in their singing. The shining face of Gans became very serious and intense. The fifteen thousand in the grandstands were swept to their feet. Forgetful that Britt was the fistic foe of the hour, Britt aside the influence sparks they had for a black man, and joined in one grand chorus that seemed to rock the hills which were their shadows on the ball grounds.

Even the Chinese men and women, and the negroes who were circled throughout the great amphitheatre, lent their voices to the song, and it seemed that "My Old Kentucky Home" could be heard in the backwoods of Daniel Boone's stamping ground. Gans could have fought a dozen men while listening to the song.

Arrival of Britt.

The arrival of Britt at 2:25 p. m. put an end to the festivities, and "My Old Kentucky Home" drifted over the hills that were peopled by the bubble and ripple once that precede the moment of battle.

Gans and Britt immediately repaired to the clubhouse, where they weighed in. Gans was the first to step on the scales, which had been placed at 133 pounds. He was seen to make the same remark. When Britt stepped on the scales the beam wabbled before it became motionless.

Suddenly there was a commotion about the ring. Billy Jordan, fired up as the fistic mega-phone, entered the arena, and with one roar attracted everybody's attention. His first announcement of importance was that the quartette which had sung "My Old Kentucky Home" was the champion heavyweight quartette of the world, but was unwilling to back that statement. He informed the crowd that Battling Nelson was in the house, and he introduced Nelson, with the confidence that characterized him when he announced that he was going to massage the visage of some unfortunate pugilist. Nelson arose and bowed. He wanted to fight Britt again whether he won or lost. It was noted with much mirth that he made no reference to meeting Gans.

Nell After Britt or Nelson.

Frankie Nell, the former featherweight champion of the world was introduced next. Nell said he thirsted to fight either Britt or Nelson, but evidenced no desire to meet Mr. Gans. The only challenge to Gans came from Packy McFarland, who took the precaution to wire from Chicago.

Jimmy Burns, formerly known as Gentle Memsic, and recently known for his sudden illness at the prospect of meeting Gans, was the next language slinger. He didn't say anything that amounted to much. But the crowd admired the Chesterfieldian air Mr. Memsic or Burns made.

Houdini Escapes.

How it happened nobody knows, but the next to fish some of the limelight was Houdini, the gentleman who can't be held handcuffed. They couldn't keep him out of the ring.

Joe Thomas and Young Ketchell also paraded in front of the crowd and had cops and policemen handcuff them to each other.

Then the photographers got busy as a man dressed like Houdini. They swarmed around like flies and snapped at the crowd, and snapped at the ring, and snapped at the fighters and, well, they did everything but sing at the top of their voices.

Gans entered the ring first. His attendants were Sam Berger and Dan Sullivan. Behind the dusky-saddle and scalpers came Britt and his aides. The fight was still an hour away.

The crowd, roaring "human mega-phone," introducing Gans as the only lightweight champion of the world. The bills shooks again. And Gans stepped into the cage at the left, and then the cheeks that glower upon the ball grounds. It was a thrilling moment for the fans who had waited all day to see Gans.

The cool breeze was blowing and a pink and slate quilt was thrown over Joe. So was the name from Rocky McFarland, who entered this quilt, wasn't the "affinity" of the other affinity, and had another. It looked like a polyrhomantic nightmare.

Gathered around the ring were the seconds. Alvie King, Willie Keefe and Kid Kerr.

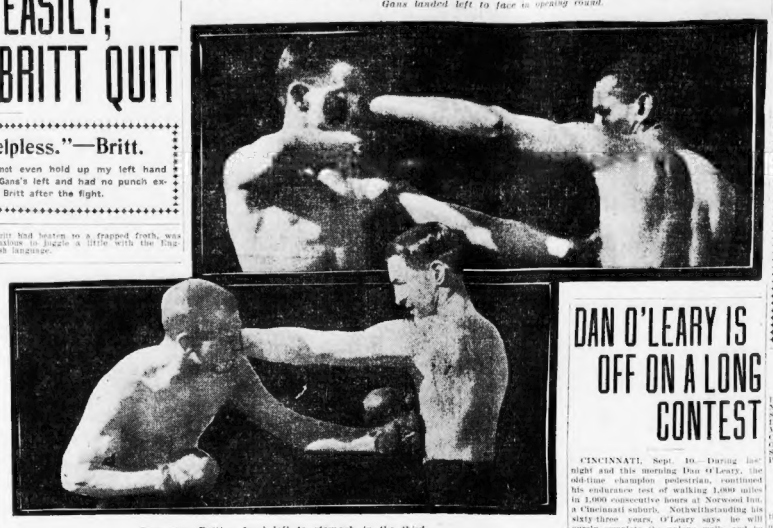
Britt pranced on the scene five minutes later, climbing up to the center of the ring, and shaking hands with the man who was to eliminate him as a factor in the fight. He stepped to the center of the ring and introduced as "a gentleman of the finest type" the referee, the gamest boys that ever stepped into the ring.

Britt was cheered tremendously—the cheering following the line of "son of the Golden West"—if you want to spell it that way—and Gans got a fair hearing.

Britt went to his corner, where his seconds, Spider Kelly, Kid Goodman, Tim Rafael and Bob Hornish, were awaiting him. He was enclosed in a great striped turkish bath robe and a red sweater.

Then the referee called the principals and scramble to steal the classic visages of the fighters. When the camera men were shooed off, the battle began.

Britt had beaten to a frapped froth, was shallow in haggle a little with the English language.



Gans gave Britt a hard left to stomach in the third.

"Just as I Expected."—Gans.

"It was just as I expected. Even if Britt had not suffered the injury he alleges he received, I would have collected the winning end of the purse."—Statement of Gans after the battle.

Effective Blows Delivered by Joe Gans

Gans landed left to face in opening round.

DAN O'LEARY IS OFF ON A LONG CONTEST

CINCINNATI, Sept. 10.—During last night and this morning Dan O'Leary, the old-time champion pedestrian, continued his endurance test of walking 1,000 miles in 1,000 consecutive hours at Norwood Inn, a Cincinnati suburb. Notwithstanding his sixty-three years, O'Leary says he will surely complete the unique walk, and he showed no signs of weariness at the end of his thirteen hourly mile.

O'Leary, the famous pedestrian, began his unique test of physical endurance and will power against fatigue and sleep Sunday afternoon. During each hour for the next forty-two days the veteran heel and toe champion engages to walk one mile of 1,000 miles, one in each of 1,000 consecutive hours. The pedestrian appeared upon the track at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon looking several years younger than the sixty-three he is. While he does not care to confess, and declaring that he feels splendid nothing and if not for the trying effort of his life.

After brief preliminaries he footed out his first mile in the presence of a large crowd, interesting he made no effort to do this distance in fast time, he was roundly cheered when he ended it in 13 minutes. After a rest of about fifty minutes O'Leary then entered the ring with Miss Hoebeber, a young Norwood roller skater, in which he was to go one mile and a quarter against her three miles. O'Leary finished the mile and a quarter in 14½ minutes, beating Miss Hoebeber. O'Leary intends to eat cold drink what he pleases, and asserts that he will not resort to powerful stimulants.

FIGHT BY ROUNDS

First Round.

Gans began by feinting with his left. Britt quickly driving home a couple of right stomach punches. Gans shook a couple of lefts for the head, and then Britt rushed to the ropes, where he landed a sharp right-hander on the nose. Gans followed with two more fakers and blocked several hard wallops. They got into a clinch, but broke out of it readily, after which Britt staggered his man with a solid left to the head. Gans recovered quickly and tapped Britt on the face with the left, at the same time getting away from a rapid return. It was Gans's round.

Second Round.

Britt assumed a crouch, while Gans stood erect and waited. Both blocked several hand swings, but Gans soon crowded his antagonist to a corner, where he got home both hands to the head. Gans was forcing the fight steadily and Britt was on the run, until he suddenly stood his ground and shot a couple of lefts into the stomach. Gans bored in and closed with Britt after a series after that, and finally ripped Britt on the eye with a solid right hand swing. It repeated this blow with increased power, and then stood Britt off to the bell. Gans's round.

Third Round.

Britt came to the scratch with his left eye discolored and clouding. Gans stopped a left body lunge with his elbow, but he didn't escape a glancing punch that landed high upon the cheek. Gans drove away then and sparred, mocking several wild swings. After that Britt received left and right in the face, and retreated when the negro started a heavy punch for the head basket. The referee broke them out of a clinch, whereupon Gans drove his man to the ropes, where he had it all his own way until the gong sounded. It was certainly Gans's round.

Fourth Round.

Gans landed a light jab on the mouth and stopped a left body blow with his elbow. Gans there ducked away from a couple of hard swings, and was applauded for his great defensive tactics. They got into a clinch, but broke at the command of the referee. Britt landed a right hand body punch, but Gans was on top of him and drove him to the ropes, getting home a hard right on the jaw and a solid left on the mouth. Gans followed this up with a terrific uppercut which landed on the jaw. Britt's head was rocking and the crowd cheered from its seats when he went to his corner.

Fifth Round.

Gans caught a left on his elbow and jumped away. As Britt stepped in he got a heavy left on the neck and a right hander on the jaw. Then Gans began to cut loose, sending in countless left hand jabs to the face and pounding the body with the right. Britt bucked away under the assault, but Gans hurried after him, and turned him half around with a hard swing on the jaw. Gans ducked a swing for the head and quick as a flash Britt to the ropes, where he filled his face full of punches. A great uppercut made Britt practically helpless, and he clinched to save himself. The bell was just in time, and Gans looked a sure winner.

HARNESS HORSE NOTES.

Thirty-one Nor England horses are entered for the Grand Circuit races at Readville, which is the number nineteen are from Boston and vicinity.

Ed Geers leads all the drivers down the big list with seven with fourteen mounts credit and a total standing of close to $40,000. The Boston horses that Geers will handle in the Grand Circuits at Hartford, is next in the list.

It is interesting to know that eight trotters and pacers are obliged to carry in heats and for a race engaged at the first payment of quarter heats with nine names, knee and pin-boots nine pairs of quarter boots, ankle boots nine pairs, nose nosers a pair, a set of elbow boots tweed-seven pairs, a set of knee boots seven pairs, a set of fetlock boots seven pairs, a set of fetlock boots seven pairs, a set of fetlock

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McGann, 1b.
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Strang, 2b.
Ames, p.

Sept. 10.—It is said that ision in the ranks of the t trouble between the two t great teams recently to the d Cardinals. It is said herity that there is so much n certain players on the refuse to give each other ing at the bat or in the

certainly must be founded At any rate, the clash be- Brown and Shannon in double-header here yesterday t deal of color to the story layers are bearing grudges other.

of the outbreak is said to be ubled between the back- bber, when the former struck ard inning. The latter met a fine ome sort of disparaging re- second Brown whooped ard, which was retaliated. l could summel order, and other players intervened.

Rid of Scrappers.

likely that one or both of be suspended for the rest ould not be surprising if some ade in the near future whereby o or Heath is given his

and Glanis will clash for the -day, and as each team has the field for the day, Manager ntelligence. Pat Flaherty ies when he does not get the box.

ms broke even in the double ay, the first game going to at, 10 to 0, and the second to 4 to 0.

aman Batted Hard.

pitched the opener for the nd was pounded all over the was effective, but had to re- enth in favor of Ferguson, ankle injury.

Young and Christy Mathew- ther in the second contest. an had the better of the nough in the home team's ose to win in the fourth in- ley had three hits, a home- wa, but the next three men te.

HUE TO FT DESHLER S EVENING

a day since as much interest manifested in a boxing bout as there is in the match to- ramount has no one to the schedule t. The principals are Young Roxbury and Dave Deshler and each has a legion of The intense rivalry that a these clever athletes is the discussion that has been

sive, of- gateway district they are o'clock will have ''out any great efforts on ' is intended they are false bill to it, and it is now all Fitzgerald and Deshler will be after Gans it only is positive that he has s all around ring work.

Nat Goodwin has gathered Roxbury boxer has gathered elements of the finest skill- way from here the best Deshler will not be able to on him.

that Donohue has met some t his friends should not over- fact that he has met a few conditions in the last few years will not be worsted if he should be a rocker, no matter Cleveland, both he and Reve- and they will put up a remark- on.

Carter is a bout with Johnny Reveler, but Bill McGinnis is a lumber Hill champion, Jack Mur- ly will stage two interesting ses- ions to-night.

OMA GIRL TO CASE TODAY

As a Fashion brought Councillor Light to do Reveler

SYRACUSE, Sept. 10.—To-day comes the $10,000 Empire State purse, in which Highball and Sonoma Girl are to have an other meeting. Miss Sonoma Girl is not expected to start, but McHenry has stated that the simple life has done her good, and will stand work.

England herd and owned horses a sweep of the Grand Circuit races Horse Map, from Providence, won the 2:10 trot; Jennie W., the ory of George E. Whitney of Enfield, ors, Miss., landed the three-year-old

AMERICAN BOAT WON.

SEBASTIAN, Spain, Sept. 10— cely exciting contest with King Al- ht, Dion Seire, the American ht, won yesterday's race. The ' ran in a strong southerly Dion was steered by Charles Wotcesak VIII, Marchesa, Princess of Williams and Dorcia launched in the bridge.

John T. to N.

Something Else.

DEATH NOTICES.

COTTON—In Brookline, Sept. 9, Walter G. Cot- Funeral from his late residence, 337 Kent st., Brookline, Wednesday, at 4 o'clock.

COUGHLIN—At City Hospital, Sept. 9, Jeremiah, husband of Annie M. Coughlin, aged 50 years. Funeral from his late residence, 41 Mt. Hope st., Roxbury, Wednesday, Sept. 11, at 8:30 a. m., thence to Solemn high mass at Sacred Heart Church at 9 o'clock.

DONEGAN—In Roxbury, Sept. 8, Celia, beloved wife of Thomas Donegan and mother of Mary Donegan. Funeral from her late residence, 605 Parker st., Wednesday, Sept. 11, at 8 a. m., thence to Sacred Heart Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends kindly invited to be present.

DOYLE—In South Boston, Sept. 9, William F., beloved child of James J. and Mary A. Doyle, aged 1 yrs. 10 mos. 17 dys.

Funeral from his parents' residence, 31 I st., Wednesday, Sept. 11, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

DOYLE—In Roxbury, Sept. 8, Ellen Doyle (nee Kennedy), of Kildare, County Kare, Ireland. Funeral from residence of her daughter, Mary Ann Sumner, 22 Station st., Wednesday, Sept. 11, at 8:15 a. m.

High mass of requiem at St. Francis de Sales's Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited. Brooklyn, N. Y., papers please copy.

FERNEKEES—In East Boston, Sept. 9, Peter A., beloved child of Peter A. and Mary A. Fernekees (nee Devlin), 1 yr. 2 mos. Funeral from residence of parents, 5 Roden st., Wednesday, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited.

FINN—In Roxbury, Sept. 8, John J., husband of Ellen Finn, aged 68 yrs. Funeral from his late residence, 6 Homeman st., Wednesday, Sept. 11, at 8:15 a. m. Requiem high mass at St. Philip's Church, Harrison av., at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited. Interment at St. Benedict Cemetery.

GRAUBERN—Sept. 8, William August Graubern, aged 37 yrs. 1 mo. 5 dys. Funeral services at his late home, 27 Winter st., East Cambridge, Wed. at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment in Woodlawn Cemetery.

GIBBONS—At Holy Ghost Hospital, Sept. 8, Bernard J., beloved husband of Frances M. Gibbons (nee Mergh), 42 yrs.

Funeral from his late residence, 1,272 Massachusetts ave., Dorchester, Tuesday, Sept. 10, at 1 p. m. Services at Holy Trinity Church, Beaumont ave., at 2 p. m., thence to Joseph's Cemetery. Kindly omit flowers. Interment private. Invited, Interment at St. Joseph's Cemetery.

HAYLE—In this city, Sept. 9, Mary Ann Hamlin (nee McDevitt), beloved wife of Peter A. Hamlin.

Funeral from her late residence, 183 Chandler st., Wednesday, Sept. 11, at 8:30 a. m., thence to Requiem high mass at St. Stephen's Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited.

HENNESSEY—In Roxbury, Sept. 9, John, beloved husband of the late Margaret Hennessey (nee Farrell), and father of Margaret J. Fitzgerald, Augustine J. and Thomas F. Hennessey. Funeral from his late residence, 5 Collier st., Thursday, Sept. 12, at 8:30 a. m. High mass of requiem at St. Joseph's Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends kindly invited.

HENNESSEY—In Dorchester, Sept. 9, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Edward A. O'Neil, of 21 Blakeville st., James Hennessey. Funeral from 21 Blakeville st., on Wednesday, Sept. 11, at 9 a. m. Services at St. Peter's Church, Meeting House Hill, at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. By special request, no flowers.

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What the Officers of the Moulders' Union Did

This True Story May Counteract Some Talk

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The International Moulders' Union of North America is a big and powerful organization. It recently held its convention in Philadelphia.

After transacting other business the delegates of the convention by a unanimous vote agreed to increase the salaries of the officers of the union $700 per year for the president and from $100 to $200 a year each for the other ten officers of the union.

It happens that at this time the Moulders' Union, although a powerful and extensive organization, is having a difficult struggle. The invention of new machinery—the moulders are too wise to fight that—has thrown confusion into the ranks of the men. In addition, their interests are facing a strong, antagonistic organization known as the National Founders' Association.

This editorial is written simply to call attention to the fact that after the convention of workingmen had voted unanimously to increase the pay of the officers who represent them and worked for them **these officers refused to accept the increase of salary.**

They offered as a reason for their refusal the fact that the men are having a hard fight; that they need their money for organization and expenses, and ought not to pay their officers more.

A good deal has been printed in newspapers antagonistic to union labor about the moral and other deficiencies of labor leaders, and some of the accusations made are true, in individual cases. But this action of the officers of the Moulders' Union ought to offset a good many untruthful statements.

How many officers of corporations would have acted in the same way—if the stockholders were not in very good shape? How many public officials in the city or State or nation would act in this way, thinking of others as they would of themselves.

One of the best features of the labor union movement, and the one which is least understood, is this: **It makes the men feel responsible for their fellows. It prevents a man from being satisfied merely because he can go ahead selfishly in his youth and vigor, getting what he wants. It makes the men stick by one another, protecting the weaker men. It establishes SOLIDARITY, and that is what the human race needs.**

Buying a Second-Hand Automobile

Be Careful. Be Well Advised. Even Then You May Be Disappointed

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At this time of year gentlemen who mistake principal for income are selling second-hand automobiles at greatly reduced prices. There are all kinds of cars to be had at all kinds of bargains. Concerning each second-hand car you will be told earnestly that it is "as good as new and a good deal better."

There ARE good bargains in second-hand automobiles. If you have technical knowledge to guide you, or an absolutely reliable friend with the technical knowledge, it is all very well to investigate the second-hand automobile possibilities.

But to the ordinary man who has a second-hand machine in his mind's eye, we say earnestly, about ten times in succession, **don't.**

Once in a while the second-hand automobile is a machine almost as good as new and a bargain.

But nine times out of ten the second-hand machine represents the effort of a private gentleman to become a chauffeur. While he has been making out of himself a second-class chauffeur, he has been changing his machine into a first-class wreck. And if you buy that machine you will have troubles, compared with which Job's difficulties would seem like a nice, happy day in the country.

Wonderful machines are made in America to-day. And they will stand different kinds of abuse. But they won't stand everything. And a second-hand automobile is usually the automobile that has pluckily TRIED to stand everything, and failed.

In the second-hand automobile you are apt to find difficulty with the ignition, plugs, engine, carburetter, tires, bolts and nuts, lamps, springs, radiator (water-cooling apparatus) and many other parts, including the batteries, all of which you will learn by heart with a heartache a few days after the first-class second-hand wreck gets home.

This is a good time to buy an automobile **IF YOU CAN AFFORD IT.** If you can't afford a very expensive one, buy one of the low-price machines, some of which are wonderfully reliable and inexpensive.

Unless you are a first-class mechanic, or can get the advice of a first-class expert, leave second-hand machines alone and buy the best kind of a new automobile **THAT YOU CAN AFFORD TO BUY.** You can't afford a wreck at ANY price.

Don't listen to the foolish stories about "the automobile dying out." Automobiles will steadily increase in number, just as the steam cars did. Their day has only begun.

Mr. Van Antwerp Believes in a Material Hell of Fire

We Are Glad to Announce It at His Request, and We Congratulate Him

Mr. Harry N. Van Antwerp, advertising manager of a magazine, writes as follows:

Dear Sir—You published an editorial on hell, in which you mentioned the fact that a certain woman declared that there was no hell after death which burns with fire and brimstone, but that the only hell was in the soul of a man or woman who had lost interest in life.

Now, I would like to ask you if you will publish this letter in your editorial column as the belief of one who believes God's Holy Bible from Genesis to Revelations, as long as you have printed the belief of one who has proven herself to be an infidel, or one of the so-called Higher Critics. If you will look up the following passages of Scripture, I think you will find that hell after death, which burns with fire and brimstone, is a stern reality:

Rev., i., 18; xiv., 10; xix., 20; xx., 13, 15; xxi., 8. Matt., v., 22; x., 28; xviii., 9. Luke, x., 15; xii., 5. James, iii., 6. II. Peter, ii., 4.

These are only a few passages which relate directly to hell.

Hoping you will publish this for the sake of someone who might be misled, I remain yours sincerely,

HARRY N. VAN ANTWERP.

Mr. Van Antwerp is to be congratulated upon his orthodox belief and enthusiasm in stating it. The man who can afford to believe in a burning pit with fire and brimstone and torment that never ends, can afford to believe the things that would congratulated when he shows real enjoyment in the belief. that he has been leading a pretty good life, a WONDER- in fact, and can afford to believe the things that would o others less perfect in their living.

BELINDA'S BEAUS

BY T. E. POWERS

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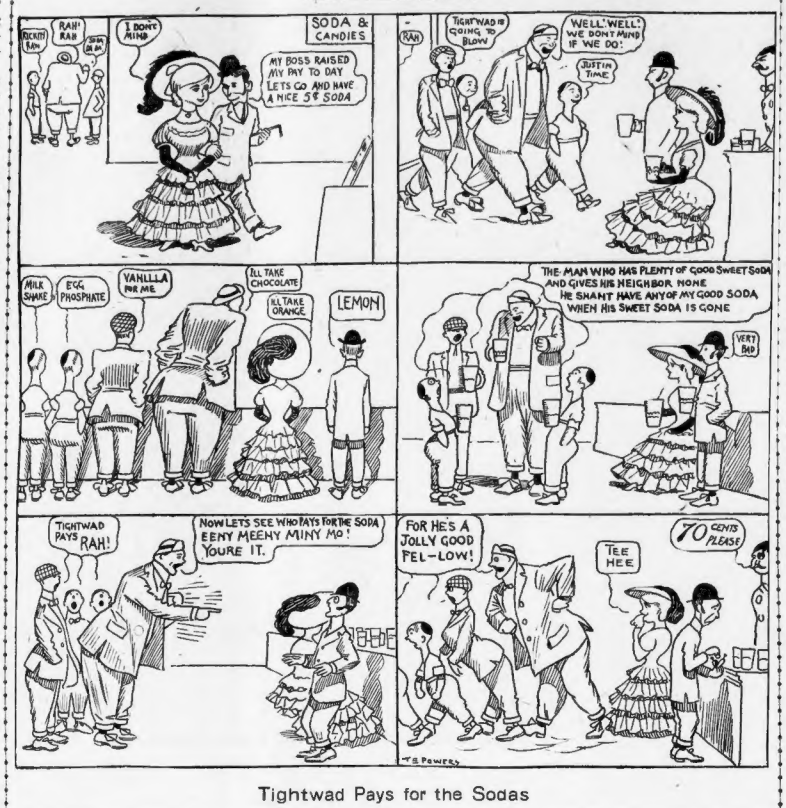
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MY BOSS RAISED MY PAY TO DAY LETS GO AND HAVE A NICE 5¢ SODA
TIGHTWAD IS GOING TO BLOW
WELL WELL! WE DON'T MIND IF WE DO!
JUSTIN TIME
MILK SHAKE
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VANILLA FOR ME
I'LL TAKE CHOCOLATE
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LEMON
THE MAN WHO HAS PLENTY OF GOOD SWEET SODA AND GIVES HIS NEIGHBOR NONE HE SHANT HAVE ANY OF MY GOOD SODA WHEN HIS SWEET SODA IS GONE
VERY BAD
TIGHTWAD PAYS RAH!
NOW LETS SEE WHO PAYS FOR THE SODA EENY MEENY MINY MO! YOURE IT.
FOR HE'S A JOLLY GOOD FEL-LOW!
TEE HEE
70 CENTS PLEASE
W.E. POWERS

Tightwad Pays for the Sodas

BRAGGO THE MONK

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YES DEAR, IT WAS A VERY STRANGE NOISE!
I'LL FIND OUT WHAT IT WAS, NEVER FEAR!
SHE HEARD THE BED TICK!
THERE,- I JUST HEARD IT AGAIN!
SO DID I! I'M GETTING NEARER! HE SHANT ESCAPE ME!
HAWKSHAW THE DETECTIVE!
YOU JUST KEEP MUM, I'LL FIND OUT WHAT IT IS!
COME IN, DEAR, ITS NOT OUT THERE!
HARK!!
SH!— ITS IN THE PANTRY! A COUPLE OF CUTTHROATS, LIKE AS NOT!— I'LL FIX 'EM!
DON'T BE RASH, DEAR,— LET FIDO IN FIRST!!
GR-R-R!!
GO O'WAY!! THERE MAY BE BLOODSHED!
OH, I'M SO FRIGHTENED, DEAR!
WOOF!!
M-M!! GOODY!!
Lars Mager

HE TURNS DETECTIVE AND FINDS A BURGLAR

In Search of An Affinity

By Wex Jones

MY soul-twin is to-day is beautiful, and her old man h coin. The mor her I felt that our twin so seeking each other throug since the world was set ro Great Artist.

I told Alice of my love as we sat in the garden den of Eden. I told her but Eve to complete Adam's ness. Rather a neat t body it in a sonnet. Read name—my lines begin the empty aeons I have admired my poor lines which shows that she insight.

Alice, I cannot live without th To-day Alice agreed that we twin souls, and we kissed each ot rather banal, perhaps, but kissing any but are so little regarded by poor geniuses of the true artistic te perament.

Alice's father is impossible. asked me how I would support daughter. The old curmudgeon! Mo may come with fame; I care not. Our twin souls are reunited! avoid argument with the materialis father, Alice and I wer secretly ma ried.

How happy she is! She worships my genius, and her my poems all day long. She i brilliant herself, but quite stupid in sons can recognize merit in other

Alice's father has no mor I am crushed, crushed like a frag blossom of the roadside.

I shut myself up in the house a penned some inspired lines "The mordant tooth of time." It is on the plan, but improved.

Alice, it appears, is a stenographer. She works—being of a coarser natu work does not grate upon her nerves during the day in some office, we do not lack the bread to nour our earthly frames. Of spiritual n tenance I, who need so much, rece none from her.

Alice will not listen to my verse longer. My sonnet "My Soul Is Soa in Paradise" only made her say garly that everything was closed in the hockshop.

At a poem recital last night I my affinity!

Happy, happy day! Together ac Our souls leaped to space as I read her my lines "On Emaciated Butterfly." She, early a m whose husband left her many dollars. Crude prosperity!

Mrs. Flopdohs is past fifty, woma most charming age, and she recogn me as her true twin soul.

I wrote Alice's father affinity. Send "I have met my affinity a divorce." Alice until I can obtain next c Alice's father calls affinity?" "What's this about a divorce?" I could r said, and then before expressions at he muttered coarse epithets "taking it out of my hide." visits. She has opened a house for me and deeded me a house.

In return I have written her lines, "Through empty aeons I ha strayed."

My affinity!

Ella Wheeler Wilcox

She Deplores the Shortsightedness of Those Conservatives Who See No Good in Motor Cars

By Ella Wheeler Wilcox

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ONE of the most foolish methods of wasting vitality is to oppose and criticise the material products of this age of invention.

Many years ago, when the first railroad was proposed in the State of Connecticut, a congregation of business men met to prevent this "enemy to peace and prosperity" from spoiling the land. Farmers, stage drivers and other citizens united in the opinion that the railroad was a bold, noisy, dirty and vulgar invention of inartistic minds, and that it meant the destruction of happiness and comfort and success for the majority of landowners and business men in the community.

There are people who talk precisely in this manner to-day about the new invention, the automobile, which has aroused a large class of citizens whose minds run along well-worn grooves and who are unable to take a wide, comprehensive view of the ways of progress.

Unwise Conservatism

I HAVE heard three excellent women, of culture and education, express disgust for the automobile and speak of it as a symbol of the "new rich," the "vulgarians," who like noise and show and speed instead of the "dear, old, quiet, simple pleasures of true aristocracy."

Of course these ladies are entitled to their individual views, and they have been irritated and annoyed undoubtedly by many reckless, selfish and untrained people who ridden automobiles. Yet their wholesale and violent disapproval of that wonderful vehicle places them on a par with the good but unwise citizens who undertook the destruction of the railroad system in New England.

Women should carefully avoid severe criticism of the motor car, since no youthful lips ever are heard to utter the mean words of disapproval. It is an unfailing sign of the approach of intolerant age.

It is an unfortunate fact that a great many human beings grow conservative and unsympathetic toward the changing fashions of the world as they pass into middle age and face the western slope of the hill of life.

Enemies of Progress

THEY measure all things by the standards which existed in their youth, and they condemn all other standards as false and vulgar.

In every decade such people exist—they opposed the substitution of sperm oil for the candle; they were disgusted when petroleum relegated the sperm oil lamp to the garret of the past; they went over the audacity of gas fixtures

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The automobile has come to bring human beings into closer relations with one another—to give thousands of men and women the opportunity for travel and sightseeing which they could never hope to enjoy by the slower and more expensive methods of railroads and hotels and to relieve the awful burden placed upon the backs of suffering animals.

Future of the Automobile

THE automobile will increase in comfort and utility and decrease in price with each year, and a large class of individuals will be enabled to enjoy its pleasures and benefits.

The writer of this article does not own an automobile, but she has been fortunate in sharing its delights at times through the thoughtfulness and courtesy of friends, who have given her the privilege of seeing wonderful parts of nature both in this country and foreign lands by this means.

There is where the real blessing of the vehicle lies—it will enable the possessor to give large pleasures and benefits to scores of people, to bring nature and to familiarize home and foreign scenery to men and women with limited means, who, when they could afford it, never hope to see otherwise.

All hail to the motor car! May it grow in variety, until the whole world is speeding, and not desire to class by itself! You who are the aging grumblers with your useless and foolish condemnations of this, one of the greatest material blessings which progress has bestowed on mankind, one, buy a motor car and take tired people who live in stifling cities to scenes of rural beauty and bid your growing rusty from misuse and learn what a delightful drives into country and learn what a delightful the automobile can

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